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MARYVILLE WINS 4 MUSIC FIRSTS

TRENTON WINS GIRLS' QUARTET AND CHORUS

AN OVERFLOW CROWD

Over 1,500 Pack Auditorium For Contests—Best Music Contest Ever Held

Music Contest Winners

Cornet solo—William Gaugh, Maryville.

Cello solo—Lucile Gaugh Maryville.

Piano solo—Hettie Mae Woodward, Maryville.

Violin solo—Ewing Poteet, St. Joseph Central.

Boys' glee club—Robidoux, St. Joseph.

Girls' glee club—Tarkio.

Chorus—Trenton.

Boys' quartet—Mound City.

Girls' quartet—Trenton.

Orchestra—Maryville.

Playing before the largest crowd that ever attended a high school event in Maryville, and probably the largest crowd ever gathered in the State Teachers College auditorium, the musicians of eleven schools in Northwest Missouri, vied with one another last night for high honors and victories. The musical contests were, without doubt, the most popular and best executed of any ever held here. The crowd, at least 1,500 that filled every available seat and chairs and benches in the back and aisle, were quite responsive to the numbers and very liberal in hand clapping although no encores were permitted. There were 396 students participating in the contests.

It is doubtful if the winners could have been better picked to please everyone. Maryville won four firsts, one without opposition, Trenton won two firsts, and St. Joseph Central, St. Joseph Robidoux, Mound City, and Tarkio, each won a first. Only four schools entered failed to take a first.

Maryville won its firsts upon piano solo, cornet solo, cello solo and orchestra. Hettie Mae Woodward, playing "Prelude in C. sharp minor," by Rachmaninoff, won first. William Gaugh, playing, "The Pearls," by Chambers, won first in the cornet solo, his sister, Lucile Gaugh, without opposition, was awarded first medal in the cello solo, "Largo" by Handel, and the Maryville High school orchestra was awarded first over Trenton.

Trenton won the decision upon the chorus with "La Cazerine," a beautiful piece and well rendered. Bethany the other chorus entered, sang, "Hail, All Hail."

The Mound City boys' quartet won over the Maryville boys with the song, "I'd Like to Go Down South Once More." The Maryville quartet, composed of Milo Vickery, Jarvis Bush, Homer Ogden and Harold Moore, sang, "The Winter Song."

Probably the outstanding contest of the evening was the violin solos. Ewing Poteet, eleven-year-old high school prodigy of St. Joseph Central won first. He played "Gigeunerweisen" by Sarasate, one of the most difficult of violin pieces and handled the instrument with ease, delicacy and clearness of tone of a master violinist. He was truly the evening's favorite with the audience receiving applause for two minutes after his playing. Poteet has studied for five and a half years. "Nothing short of wonderful," was the way Charles R. Gardner, dean of music, described his playing.

Against almost any other playing Miss Pauline Spencer of Tarkio would have won first place. Her tone, quality, and attack were exceptional and like Poteet was very popular with the audience, which gave her continued applause.

The orchestra, glee clubs and choruses were all evenly matched and to the average individual it would have been impossible to have picked the winner. Trenton had a splendid orchestra but was nosed out of first by a small margin by Maryville.

The judges for last night's contests were Miss Theresa Armitage of Boston, Massachusetts, and Miss Mabel Glenn of Kansas City. Miss Glenn is music supervisor at Kansas City and an outstanding figure in music there. Miss Armitage is well known for her arrangements for boys and girls glee club music and has probably arranged more that is being used now, than any other person. She trained the boys in Father Finn's chorus that is now singing in St. Patrick's cathedral in New York City.

Mistaken for Thief, Father Shoots Son

Kanass City, Kan., April 28.—Marvin Munsell, 16-year-old high school boy, is in a serious condition at a hospital today as a result of being shot by his father, Alvin Monsell, proprietor of a shoe shop here. The boy returned to his home early this morning after playing with his high school band at Emporia last night. The family did not expect him until today. As he attempted to enter the house through a window he was mistaken for a burglar and shot. Physicians say the boy will die.

FREE STATERS IGNORE TRUCE

CONTINUE ACTIVITIES DESPITE DE VALERA'S PROCLAMATION

DEMAND DISARMAMENT

Free State Government Silent On Irregular Chief's Order Because Not Addressed To It

Dublin, April 29—Completely ignoring the armistice proclamation Eamann De Valera yesterday ordering the the Republican irregulars to cease hostilities Monday, Free State military headquarters continued its activities today against the rebels. Free State troops in the west and south continued to round up and attack irregulars wherever they offered resistance.

Home Minister Higgins was expected to give the government's reply to De Valera's proposals this afternoon but it was announced that he was ill and could make no statement. From sem-official quarters, however, it was said that the minister's illness was "diplomatic" rather than physical.

Officials of the Free State government have not fully considered the peace negotiations because, they say, it was not addressed to the Free State government, However, they have debated the proposal informally among themselves. It is considered likely that the Free State government will demand that the irregulars lay down their arms before any permanent discussions can take place.

There were no signs of peace in this city last night. Sniping continued throughout the night. At times the crackle of rifles was broken by the exploding of bombs. So far as is known there were no casualties. A band of nine Republican irregulars surrendered to Free Staters in Cary County and three were taken at Cork. Wholesale arrests of irregulars are continuing in western counties.

Nickoli Lenine Slowly Sinking

Riga, April 29.—Nickoli Lenine is succumbing rapidly to paralysis, heart weakness and catarrah and is sinking slowly, said a report from the Russian frontier. Travelers arriving from Moscow, said that bulletins regarding the health of the communist leader, were so cautiously worded that residents of Moscow were uncertain as to his real condition.

Moscow, April 29.—A bulletin issued by the soviet government today concerning the condition of Nickoli Lenine, said that his condition remained unchanged.

Mrs. J. C. Buntin and daughter, Doris, of Rushville, Mo., visited yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Parrish of Quitman.

PATRICK IS AGAIN ASSOCIATION HEAD

PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT RE-ELECTED TODAY

AMENDMENTS ARE PASSED

Several Constitutional Changes Made —Eligibility Ruling in Basket Ball Interpreted Association Officers

F. E. Patrick, Bethany, President.

T. O. Moles, Chillicothe, Vice-president.

L. E. Ziegler, Maryville, Secretary.

Bert Cooper, Maryville, Corresponding Secretary.

O. G. Sanford, Board of Control member, 3-year term.

James R. Kerr, Chillicothe and U. L. Riley, Maitland, Hold-over board members.

The election of officers for the ensuing year, adoption of several amendments to the constitution and an interpretation of one elegibility ruling, constituted the important work done this morning at the annual business meeting of the Northwest Missouri High School Association. Patrick and Moles, as president and vice-president respectively, were re-elected.

In intrepretation of the ruling in regard to elegibility of players the following was drawn up: A town team shall not be construed to mean a team from a nationally known social order or religious organization when they are members in good standing of such organization, and under the management of an adult member of that organization, who must perform the duties of section 6 of the by-laws pertaining to the manager or faculty substitute. This was passed particularly to govern basketball.

The following amendments to the constitution were adopted.

To amend section 2, article 111 to read—

Any first second or third class high school of the Maryville State Teachers College district may become a member of the Association for a period of one year upon the payment of a fee of three dollars. Provided however, that a penalty of 50 cents per month, or fraction thereof, will be levied if the three dollar fee is not paid on or before October 15 of each year.

To strike out section 7 page 6, pertains to notice of eligibility.

To amend section 8 page 7 so as to read. It shall be the duty of the association to report to the Corresponding Secretary at the close of each athletic season on a form provided by the association, a complete list, certified to by the coach, of all players used at any time during that season in that sport or activity.

To amend clause 'e' page 8 under section 9 to read: Any pupil who shall change from a school of which he is a resident student to any other school except upon change of parent or guardian shall be ineligible to compete in the contests of the Association for a period of one year.

To amend section 9 page 7 by adding clause 'F'. A student who enters school later than the third week of a semester shall be ineligible to compete in contests during that semester.

To clause 'a' under section 9 page 7. All student contestants shall be regular members of the high school in good standing, shall have made passing grades in each of three full and regular subjects the last semester such pupil was enrolled in school and shall be making passing grades in each of three full and regular sub-

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Democrat-Forum Want Ads Brings Results

A few examples from this week's advertising to show it.

In Wednesday's issue of The Democrat-Forum a lady advertised that she had a hen and 36 chicks for sale. Tihs lady told us that she sold them before 5 o'clock that same evening.

Another lady conveyed the news to Democrat-Forum readers through the Want Ad department that she had apples for sale. Before supper time that same evening she called to tell us that she had sold a nice order of apples.

Maryville Is a Town of Lots of Spirit

The following is from the DeKalb County Herald of Maysville:

There are so many ways in which a town can be distinguished, if it just has the snap, the spunk, the spirit, the vision. Maryville, the county seat of Nodaway County, is a town of lots of spirit. Now comes someone with a nice vision and wants to make Maryville "the City of Nasturtiums." The ambition is worth while.

I went through Natchez, Mississippi, one time, a fine, pretty town on the banks of the Mississippi, I do not remember any great sight about its detailed life and business, but I do remember that it was decked with magnolia blossoms. Pretty flowers add to the tone, elegance and beauty of a town.

Maryville has a right to be patted on the back and the ideal, the make Maryville known as "the City of Nasturtiums," is all right.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS LITERARY WINNERS

TAKE FIRST IN ORATORY, EXTEMPORANEOUS AND DEBATE.

CENTRAL, DECLAMATION

Finals in These Contests Held This Morning—Debate Decision Was Unanimous.

Literary Contest Winners.

Declamation—Radiance Zollinger, St. Joe Central, first; Bernice Prugh, Grant City, second; Ellen Sewell, Skidmore, third; Hope McNulty, Tarkio, fourth.

Oratory—Albert Shoemaker, Excelsior Springs, first; Eugene McCracken, Trenton, second; Tom Hoehn, St. Jo Central, third; Arthur Myers, Savannah, fourth.

Extemporaneous Speaking — Harold Roberts, Excelsior Springs, first; Halkaline Kirk, Plattsburg second.

Debate—Excelsior Springs won over Chula.

Essay Contest—Sallie Childers, McFall, first; Cornelia Ensign, Cameron, second.

The finals in extemporaneous speaking, and in debating were held yesterday afternoon, after the music preliminaries were over. In extemporaneous speaking, Harold Roberts of Excelsior Springs won first, and Miss Halkaline Kirk of Plattsburg was second.

By an unanimous decision of the judges, Excelsior Springs won over Chula. The winning team took the negative side, on the question of government ownership of the coal mines. The Excelsior Springs team consisted of Ralph Smith and Harold Roberts. The members of the Chula team were: Margaret Carlyle and Helen Owen.

In the essay contest, Sallie Childers of McFall won first, and Cornelia Ensign of Cameron was second.

The finals in declamation and oration were held this morning in the college auditorium. Four boys contested against each other in the oration, and four girls in the declamation. The following are the results:

Declamation—Miss Radiance Zollinger of St. Joseph Central, first. Subject, "A Few Bars in the Key of G."

Miss Bernice Prugh of Grant City, second. Subject, "The Old Stage Coach."

Miss Ellen Sewell of Skidmore, third. Subject, "Miracle Mary."

Miss Hope McNulty of Tarkio, fourth. Subject, "Gavrouch, from Les Miserables."

Oration—Albert Shoemaker of Excelsior Springs, first. Subject, "The New South."

Eugene McCracken of Trenton, second. Subject, "Why Are We at War?"

Tom Hoehn of St. Joe Central. Subject, "A Plea for Cuba." Arthur Myers of Savannah, fourth. Subject, "Patrick Henry's Oration Against British Oppression."

Miss Marie Faulhaber and Miss Clara Minnie, both of Peru State Normal, and Mr. C. F. Martin of Warrensburg State Teachers College acted as judges in all of the events.

Miss Lillian R. James and Miss Letha Lowen came last night from St. Joseph to spend the week end with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James. Miss James and Miss Lowen both teach in the Lafayette High School in St. Joseph.

CENTRAL AND M'FALL LEADING; SMITH BREAKS HALF RECORD

RECORD BREAKING CROWD AND IDEAL WEATHER.

MARYVILLE IS SECOND

Central Has 28¼, Maryville 19½, McFall Has 13½—Liberty Not Here.

Points Scored by Schools up to Press Time.

CLASS A.

13 events out of 14.

Central	28¼
Maryville	19½
Trenton	15¼
Albany	14½
Lafayette, St. Joseph	10½
Maysville	10¼
Bethany	10¼
Mound City	10
Savannah	8
Braymer	8
Cameron	3
St. Joseph Benton	3
Chillicothe	1

CLASS B.

McFall	13½
Grandview	13
Maitland	12
Plattsburg	10
Jameson	9
Rock Port	7
New Point	5½
Skidmore	5
Darlington	5
Harden	5
Easton	4
Tarkio	4
Hopkins	3
Ravenwood	3
Barnard	3
Ridgeway	2
Graham	2
Fortescue	2
Clearmont	2

With ideal weather, a record-breaking crowd, a good track and fine school rivalry, the Fourteenth Annual Track Meet and Field Events of the Northwest Missouri High School Association got underway promptly at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the State Teachers College athletic field.

Every record that has been hung up at past meets were in danger today. Some of them are already things of the past and others remained by close margins or a turn of luck.

The record of Chauncey Saville of 2 minutes, 9 4-5 seconds in the half mile, made in 1914, fell before Smith of Maryville, who set a record of two minutes and 9 seconds. In class B of this event, Sweat of Grandview even lowered Smith's time and made the two laps in 2 minutes and 4 seconds.

Holmberg of Plattsburg in class B broke the high hurdle record, making the sticks in 16 and 4-5 seconds, but the record couldn't stand because one too many hurdles were knocked down.

Liberty High School, doped by many fans to win the class A cup failed to show up.

In the class A high hurdles, R. Sheldon and M. Sheldon, both of Albany, won first and second respectively.

The results:

100 Yard Dash.

Class A—Botsford, Lafayette, first; Jackson, Central, second; Hamilton, Trenton, third; O'Banion, Maryville, fourth. Time, 10:4.

Class B—Caldwell, Jameson, first; Settle, Rock oPrt, second; Ungles, Maitland, third; Davis, Hopkins, 4th.

120 Yard High Hurdles.

Class A—R. Sheldon, Albany, first; M. Sheldon, Albany, second; Stark, Bethany, third; Roelofson, Maryville, fourth. Time, 18.

Class B—Holmberg, Plattsburg, first; Deatz, Rock Port, second; Joy, Ravenwood, third; Nichols, McFall, fourth. Time 16:4.

220 Yard Dash.

Class A—Cockayne, Maryville, first; Buster, Trenton, second; Jackson, Central, third; Buse, Maysville, fourth. Time, 24:3.

Class B—Ungles, Maitland, first; Nichols, McFall, second; Caldwell, Jameson, third; Settle, Rock Port, 4th. Time 24.1.

Half Mile Run.

Class A—Smith, Maryville, first; Bangs, Cameron, second; Taylor, Mound City, third; Steele, Chillicothe, fourth. Time, 2:9.

Class B—Sweat, Grandview, first; Arrasmith, Ridgeway, second; Warren, Graham, third; McAdams, Tarkio, 4th. Time, 2.4.

Running Broad Jump.

Class A—Stuber, St. Joseph Central, first; Botsford, Lafayette, second; Chapman, Benton, third; Hamilton, Trenton, fourth. Distance, 19 feet, 11 3-4 inches.

Class B—Minnick, Harden, first; Danaar, McFall, second; Caldwell, Jameson, third; Goforth, Barnard, 4th. Distance, 19 feet, 7 inches.

Standing Broad Jump

Class A—Jackson, St. Joseph Central, first; Field, Mound City, second; Furst, Savannah, third; Brissey, Maysville, fourth. Distance, 9 ft. 73 inches.

Class B—Croswhite, Darlington, first; McCain, Easton, second; Goforth, Barnard, third; Davis, Hopkins, fourth. Distance, 9 ft. 11 inches.

Shot Put

Class A—Hiatt, Bethany, first; Wooden, Braymer, second; Kinnaman Central, third; Schaaf, Central, fourth. Distance, 41 ft. 4 inches.

Class B—Brown, Grandview, first; McCoy, New Hampton, second; Smith Fortescue, thirl, J. Joy, Ravenwood, fourth. Distance, 42 ft. 3½ inches.

Discus Throw

Class A—Wooden, Braymer, First; Hiatt, Bethany, second; Schaaf, Central, third; Kinnaman, Central, fourth. Distance 112 ft. 3 inches.

Class B—Millon, Rock Port, first; Minneck, Harden, second; McCoy, New Hampton, third; Tripp, Ridgeway, fourth. Distance, 106 ft. ½ inch.

220 Yard Low Hurdles

Class A—Hammons, Trenton, first; Bonnette, Maysville, second; Aley, Maryville, and Sheldon, Albany tied for third. Time 28 flat.

Class B—Holmberg, Plattsburg, first; Nichols, McFall, second; York, New Hampton, third; Persinyor, McFall and Fenimore, New Hampton, tied for fourth. Time 28:3.

Pole Vault

Class A—Stauber, Central, and Schmitt, Savannah, tied for first; Young, Benton, second; Davis, Trenton, third; Roelofson, Maryville, fourth.

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Maryville Girls Win Track Meet

Trenton Second — Boyer, Trenton High Point Girl—New, Maryville Makes 25 Points

How They Placed:

Maryville, 35.
Trenton, 31.
McFall, 15 1-3.
Barnard, 6.
Parnell, 5½.
Hopkins, 4½.
King City, 4.
Oregon, 3.
Plattsburg, 2½.
Ridgeway, 2.
Jameson, 1.

Boyer, Trenton, high point winner with 28. New, Maryville, second with 25 points.

The following are results after press time yesterday:

Javelin Throw—Boyer, Trenton, 1st; Jameson, McFall, 2nd; W. Todd, Trenton, 3rd; O'Banion, Maryville, 4th. Distance 60 feet, 10 inches.

Running Broad Jump—Mildred New, Maryville, 1st; Casey, King City, 2nd; O'Banion, Maryville, 3rd; McMasters, Hopkins, 4th. Distance, 13 feet, 3 inches.

Hop, Step and Jump—Boyer, Trenton, 1st; O'Banion, Maryville, 2nd; R. Gromer, McFall, 3rd; Copeland, King City, 4th. Distance 28 feet, 8 inches.

Standing High Jump—Boyer, Trenton, 1st; Robinett, Barnard, 2nd; Jones, Parnell, 3rd; New, Maryville, 4th. Height 3 feet, 1 inch.

Running High Jump—New, Maryville, 1st; Jones, Parnell and Ramsey, Hopkins, tied for 2nd; Jameson, McFall, 3rd; Porter, Plattsburg, 4th; O'Banion, Maryville, fifth. Record, 4 feet, one inch.

Girl tracksters, Mildred New and assistants of the Maryville High School won the trophy cup for first place in the first annual girls' track meet held at the College yesterday afternoon. Maryville had 35 points and Trenton was runner-up with 31 points. Boyer of Trenton, individual point winner, made 28 of Trenton's 31 points.

The events were staged with great success and bid fair to be one of the outstanding contests in a few years. A good crowd was on hand to see the girls perform despite the uncertainty of the weather. Good records were made in most all events and some will probably remain records for several years.

MAYSVILLE AND BRAYMER WIN

IN AGRICULTURAL CONTESTS FOR CLASS A SCHOOLS

DAVIS RANKS HIGHEST

First in Class A—Maysville Boys Second—Stock Judges Visit Farms

Maysville, Braymer and McFall carried off most of the honors in the stock judging and grain judging contests at the College. McFall in class B won both stock judging and grain raising, likewise winning a first, second and third in individual honors. Maysville took first place in class A grain judging and Braymer took first in live stock judging.

Each contest was divided in two classes. Class A and class B. Class A was open to schools that maintained a vocational agriculture department. Class B was open to school not having any department in agriculture. Each school was represented by a team, to judge the grain and stock. The team that won in each class, in each contest, received a cup. Also, the students making the highest number of points received medals.

Grain Judging.

In class A, Maysville won first with 5235 points. Bethany and Ridgeway had to be content with second and third places, respectively. Bethany scored 5215 points and Ridgeway scored 5180 points. As to individual points, George Frank of Bethany scored first with 1800 points.

J. L. Grimes of Maysville secured second place with 1785 points, and Herbert Smith of Bethany got third, scoring 1780 points.

In class B, McFall was first, Converse second, and Sheridan third. They scored 5035, 4775 and 4815, and 4775 respectively. Mabel Albright of McFall was first with 1740 points, in the individuals. Hugh Brown of Converse was second with 1660. Dora Jordan of McFall, and Willis King of Sheridan tied for the third position, with 1650 points.

Live Stock Judging.

In class A live stock judging, Braymer pulled down first place with 2214 points to their credit. Maysville was second with 2113, and Gallatin third, with 2089 points. Joe Davis of Braymer was first, in the individuals, with 786. Forrest Ellis and Orville Wright, both of Maysville, were second and third. They scored 742 and 730 points respectively.

Class B. Hopkins first, McFall second, and Converse third. They scored 2065, 1981 and 1812 points respectively. As to individual contest in class B, Teddy Baldwin of Hopkins was first with 722 points to his credit. Bertha Chapman of McFall was second with a score of 697, and Roy Elam of the same town, was third with 685 points.

In the stock judging contests, the teams were taken to the F. P. Robinson, Bellows Brothers and J. T. Wells farms to judge the stock at these different places. W. W. Stanfield and W. H. Burr of the College graded the papers, that were handed in by the contestants. E. A. Trowbridge of the University of Missouri, judged these contests.

St. Joseph Bandits Get $3,000 Payroll

St. Joseph, April 28—Five bandits armed and masked today held up the cashier of the McCord-Norton Shoe Company here and escaped with $3,000 payroll of the concern.

Gary Booze Ring Denied New Trial

Indianapolis, April 28—Judge Ferdinand Geiger in the federal court here today denied the motions for new trial in cases of fifty-two out of fifty-five Gary and Lake County, Indiana persons under conviction for conspiracy to violate federal liquor laws. Three were granted a new trial.

Miss Evelyn Freeman of St. Joseph visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James on South Main street Thursday and Friday. Miss Freeman is a nurse at Ensworth Hospital.

THE WEATHER.

Fair in the north, unsettled in the south portion to-night; Sunday probably fair, somewhat warmer in the afternoon.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Announcement is made that the religious daily will be resurrected in Chicago at an early date. The effort was made a year or so ago to establish such a paper but it was suspended after some months for lack of funds. The Christian Science Monitor is a high grade, clean daily newspaper with criminal and sensational news eliminated. There is no reason why other great churches of the country could not establish a similar paper if it is conducted along broad lines and has money enough behind it. Great newspapers can be founded along too narrow lines, whether they be political or religious, and they can not be kept alive without adequate financial backing. Great journals can not be founded in this way on sentiment or enthusiasm. It takes enthusiasm, energy, brains and cold cash and plenty of all.

Cheap fares fixed by law have made the taxi cab business in New York so profitable that the city is now threatening to limit the number of taxis in order to prevent the streets from becoming impassable. This is a result that may well be studied in this day of ever increasing costs. In many cities it costs around ten cent to ride on a street car with all its delays and difficulties and the taxi is much quicker, more comfortable and more exclusive.

A significant political change has occurred in the Thirty-seventh Senatorial District of Iowa in the recent election of William Schmedika, a farmer and a Democrat to the state senate. The district was carried by the republicans in 1920 by a majority of 11,000 and they again carried it last fall by a majority of 8,000 for Governor Kendall. Dissatisfaction with both national and state administrations is given as the cause of the change.

Along with the other King Tut creations is the King Tut strut. It can't be any worse than some of the other struts that have been imposed upon us.

A lot of little Governor boomlets are being born but most of them seem to be waiting to hear from Fred Gardner before they take themselves seriously.

State senators who need adding machines and typewriters should make arrangements to borrow them from their neighbors in their home towns.

One "dead one" counts for as much as another in cemeteries but nowhere else in this world.

ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE

Russian soviet authorities announce that they will soon place on trial Tikhon, patriarch of all Russia, and the world fears he will meet the fate of Vicar General Butchkavich, who was convicted of counter-revolutionary activities and executed. Besides being charged with general "opposition to the soviet government," Tikhon is accused of resisting the sequestration of church property.

Marriage licenses were issued today to Dewey B. Leonard of Burlington Junction and Elizabeth L. Scrinsher of Elmo, and Luvoyd Page, colored, Maryville and Bertha Gunn, colored, Maryville.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads

CENTRAL AND M'FALL LEADING

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440 Yard Dash.

Class A—Willoughby, Maryville, 1st; Ends, Trenton, 2nd; LaVan, Savannah, 3rd; Bickel, Albany, 4th. Time, 57 flat.

Class B—Unbles, Maitland, first; Woods, Tarkio, second; Smith, Ridgeway, third; Allgaier, Easton, fourth. Time, 54:4.

Hop, Step and Jump.

Class A—Grimes, Maysville, first; Stuber, Central, second; M. Sheldon, Albany, third; R. Sheldon, Albany, fourth. Distance, 40 feet, 11 inches.

Class B—Peoples, Skidmore, first; Brown, Grandview, second; Behm, Clearmont, third; Davis, Hopkins, fourth. Distance, 43 ft. 3 inches.

Running High Jump.

Class A—Price, Mound City, first; Parman, Albany and Botsford, Lafayette, second; Stark, Bethany, Grooms, Maysville; Davis, Trenton; Stuber, Central, tied for third and fourth places.

FELT THE BISHOP WAS SAFE

Woman's Apprehensions Disappeared With Her Increasing Confidence in the Small Boy.

When Phillips Brooks, the great "low church" bishop of Massachusetts, made his visitation at the Church of the Advent, Boston, celebrated for its elaborate ritual, the rector considerately inquired if the bishop would like the usual service simplified.

"Oh, no," was the reply. "Turn everything on!"

A young but well-trained acolyte was told to attend the bishop, and before the towering figure paced, with impressive dignity, the small red-cassocked lad.

A lady, who knew and admired Phillips Brooks, but knew little of ritual, regarded the situation at first with anxious face, but soon became serene. On leaving the church after service, she remarked:

"In the beginning I was dreadfully afraid the bishop would not know where to go or what to do, but I felt perfectly safe about him when I saw that little boy knew a great deal more about it all than the bishop did, and was taking good care of him."—Harper's Magazine.

An Inventor at Seventeen.

One Saturday morning, more than 60 years ago, writes Floyd L. Darrow in St. Nicholas Magazine, a man and a boy might have been observed standing over a piece of pipe in a machine shop in Schenectady, N. Y. The man was giving instructions to his fourteen-year-old son, George Westinghouse, Jr., as to how he wished this pipe to be cut into pieces of a certain length. George had wanted to go on a hike, with some other boys, but his father, a somewhat stern man, was assigning a task which, he assured the lad, would require all his spare time for several days to come. While his father had been talking, the boy had been thinking out a scheme to escape this drudgery. In a few hours he had rigged up a combination of tools which, when attached to a power machine, automatically fed the pipe and cut it into the proper lengths.

In this youthful incident we have the first glimpse of the wonderful inventive genius of one of the most extraordinary men that America has ever produced—George Westinghouse.

History of Vaccination.

Smallpox vaccination, generally regarded as a modern practice, dates back more than 2,000 years, according to Dr. W. G. McCoy, director of the Hygenic Laboratory of the United States Public Health service. "When the ancients noticed that recovery from the first attack gave immunity from others," says Doctor McCoy, "they began inoculating their fellows; first by exposing well persons to others ill with the disease and later by inoculation."

Jenner, who is generally conceded to have been the father of vaccination for smallpox with cowpox, only "put vaccination on a rock where it would be immovable," explains Doctor McCoy. Records show that years before Jenner's time men had been vaccinated with cowpox and then with smallpox to demonstrate their immunity.

Rachel's Tomb Jewish Shrine.

Rachel's tomb, about a mile from Bethlehem, is a sacred shrine of the Jews. It is the only spot of Old Testament interest to which the Jews have exclusive rights, and the chief rabbi of Jerusalem has the key to it. They assemble there from time to time for prayer. They do the same at Hebron, where the patriarchs are buried, but in general they do not have ready access to the graves of their forefathers. The Moslems refuse this privilege to them.

Wanted More Information.

The medical officer on duty in the eye, ear and throat department of one of the great London hospitals was about to examine a man who complained of severe pain.

"Now, then, my friend, is it this ear that's causing the trouble?" he asked.

"This 'ere what?" inquired the patient.

THE PINK SHELL

By JANE GORDON

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PATIENCE looked out of her little bedroom window far across the blue lake.

There had been so few idle hours in Patience's life. If her parents, at her naming, could have foreseen their daughter's unselfish future they could not have named her more appropriately. This winter had called especially for that virtue. Uncle Thomas, growing querulous in his aged affliction, had taxed even his faithful piece's patience, while Aunt Tilly—well, Aunt Tilly was always just her tyrannical self.

Patience, in the safe quiet of her small room, had daringly lined her dark cape with cheery red. She intended to keep the red side hidden from her aunt's watchful eyes. So today, as she fastened its collar about her throat, her tired blue eyes brightened at the glow the red lining gave to her pale cheeks. She fluffed out a little of the soft brown hair that was streaked with silvery strands. The rock that she knew, against the protecting cliff, was warm with sunshine. Patience let the lake breeze lift her waving hair, so that a gold-brown curl tossed close to a glinting silvery one; then, her gaze half on her sewing and half on the scarlet of her wrap thrown back at the shoulder, she gave herself to pleasant dreams and happy memories.

There was one never-fading memory glowing fresh each springtime, for this memory was the one approach to romance that she, in her buried life, had known. Such a poor little excuse of a romance living on so brightly in its glamour. On just such a day as this, years ago, Patience, in a new cotton frock, had sat on this same rock by her sea. And a red-cheeked young sailor had stopped for a moment to ask direction to a shore boarding house. He was to have but a few hours' leave, this young sailor, and it was his first stopping. And with an eager, unusual impulsiveness, Patience had offered to him the hospitality of her mother's home. Mother had been so understanding, so kindly serving. She had welcomed the lad as she would have wished others to have cared for her own—and Richard Dawn was grateful.

It was a happy dinner party—just the three around the white kitchen table—the young man's dark, steady eyes continually on the girl's face—Patience, in her pink frock, with pinker cheeks to match it, listening, her own eyes wide in their first hero worship, to his stories of adventure. She had walked with him afterward, very slowly through the afternoon sunshine, down to this same sheltered rock, where they had lingered in their goodbys. Then he sailed away. Only that.

But Patience, through all the stifled years, had not forgotten. Neither had she been unhappy. He had left with her a little pink shell. "It is my talisman," he told her. Never through stormy waters, or in far dangerous places had he been separated from that pink shell. Now he gave it to her—his charm.

His possession of the pink shell was part of one of the tales of adventure that had widened the young girl's eyes in hero worship. She kept it still, carefully, in a small blue jewel case on the dresser in her room, facing the lake. And surely, to her, it had been charm-evoking in trying hours—one past hour of happiness.

The wind lifted her scarlet-lined cape, flaunting its color like a flag; the wind, too, whipped scarlet color into her wan cheeks. Patience lifted her eyes to see a man standing before her—a sailor, undoubtedly.

"If you please," he said, "could you direct me to a near boarding place, or does this isolated spot boast a hotel?"

Patience arose, trembling, staring. You see, she had never forgotten, and she was untaught in the school of dissembling. The big, smiling man misunderstood her hesitation.

"Your red cape sort of flagged me," he laughingly explained. "Set you out, as it were, from the rest of the folks on the beach—so I came straight to you for information."

Patience put up her hand with a characteristic gesture, then she, too, smiled.

If Richard Dawn of the past had forgotten, then she must feign to forget an episode. Only an episode after all, and the world is wide. The man had traveled and—lived. She had stayed in the cove by the big rock—and dreamed.

"I think," she faltered, "that my aunt will serve you dinner if you wish." She arose, leading the way.

If Richard—if this big, pleasant man of the sea wished to remain over night, her own little room might be arranged for his occupancy; she could sleep on the couch in the lower hall, as she had done many times before.

Dawn, coming down to breakfast the following morning, told her that he had made the discovery. "I remembered you," he said gravely, "when you smiled yesterday—when you touched your hair. Queer how a man can remember small things like that—through years—across a world."

Travel had absorbed him—travel and ambition. But now Richard Dawn was back, and he remembered.

It was not very long after when Patience, Captain Dawn's wife, stood on the deck of his steamer, that he showed to her a small pink shell. "When I saw this on the dresser in the room that you gave me I knew," he told her, "that I dared hope still for my lucky charm to bring me happiness."

GIFT TO WOMAN'S PARTY

Miss Alice Paul, leader of the National Woman's party, photographed with Edith Ogden Heidel's statue, the "Thinking Woman," which was recently presented to the Woman's party to be the first work of art in an art gallery at the party headquarters in Washington. Miss Heidel was a pupil of St. Gaudens.

Returns From Jeff. City.

Leslie G. Somerville returned last evening from Jefferson City, where he attended a meeting of the county superintendents of the state. It was the annual meeting of the county superintendents and problems confronting these school men were discussed.

Harding to Start St. Joseph Event

St. Joseph, Mo., April 28.—President Harding will be the official starter of the Pony Express from St. Joseph to San Francisco on August 26, according to word received here from Washington today.

President Harding will start the run by pressing a button at the national capital. Electricity will shoot through nearly 1,500 miles of wire and touch off the signal at St. Joseph, and the pony express riders wil start the 1,950 mile relay run to the Pacific coast.

A team from the remount division of the army will be entered in the run. Mr. Fay was assured by war department officials upon whom he called this afternoon.

The pony express race also will be a memorial to Mark Twain and an observance of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the discovery of gold in California. St. Joseph, Denver, Salt Lake City, Reno and Sacramento, Cal., are some of the cities along the route of the race which will stage celebrations. The run will be made in sixty-mile relays.

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Butter Krisp Potato Chips
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B. & M. fresh Salted Nuts

will satisfy that hunger.

"Everybody Eats 'em,"
"Everybody Likes 'em."

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St. Joe Wins in Typewriting Test

Papers of 3 Contests Not Graded Yet —Robidoux First and Second In Advacned Typewriting

In the commercial contests which were held this morning, only one set o fpapers had been finished by press time. Nellie Rutter of Robidoux, St. Joseph, with a speed of 59 4-15 words per minute won first in advanced typewriting. Elva O'Neal of the same school, with a speed of 57 9-15 words won second. Esther Fietzen of St. Joseph Benton placed third with a speed of 57 3-15 words.

The commercial contests that have not yet been awarded are Junior typewriting, Junior shorthand and advanced shorthand. T. H. Angora, "speed demon" from the Underwood Company judged the contests and gave some very interesting demonstrations of speed this morning.

To Organize Epworth League

T. H. Leet, superintendent of the M. E. Church, South, Sunday School, has called a meeting of young people for 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the church. The meeting is for the purpose of organizing an Epworth League and all young people between the ages of twelve and thirt yare expected to be present.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

M. H. S. Girls Win in Tennis Doubles

Central Wins Boys' Doubles and Bethany Net Sharks Wins In Mixed Doubles

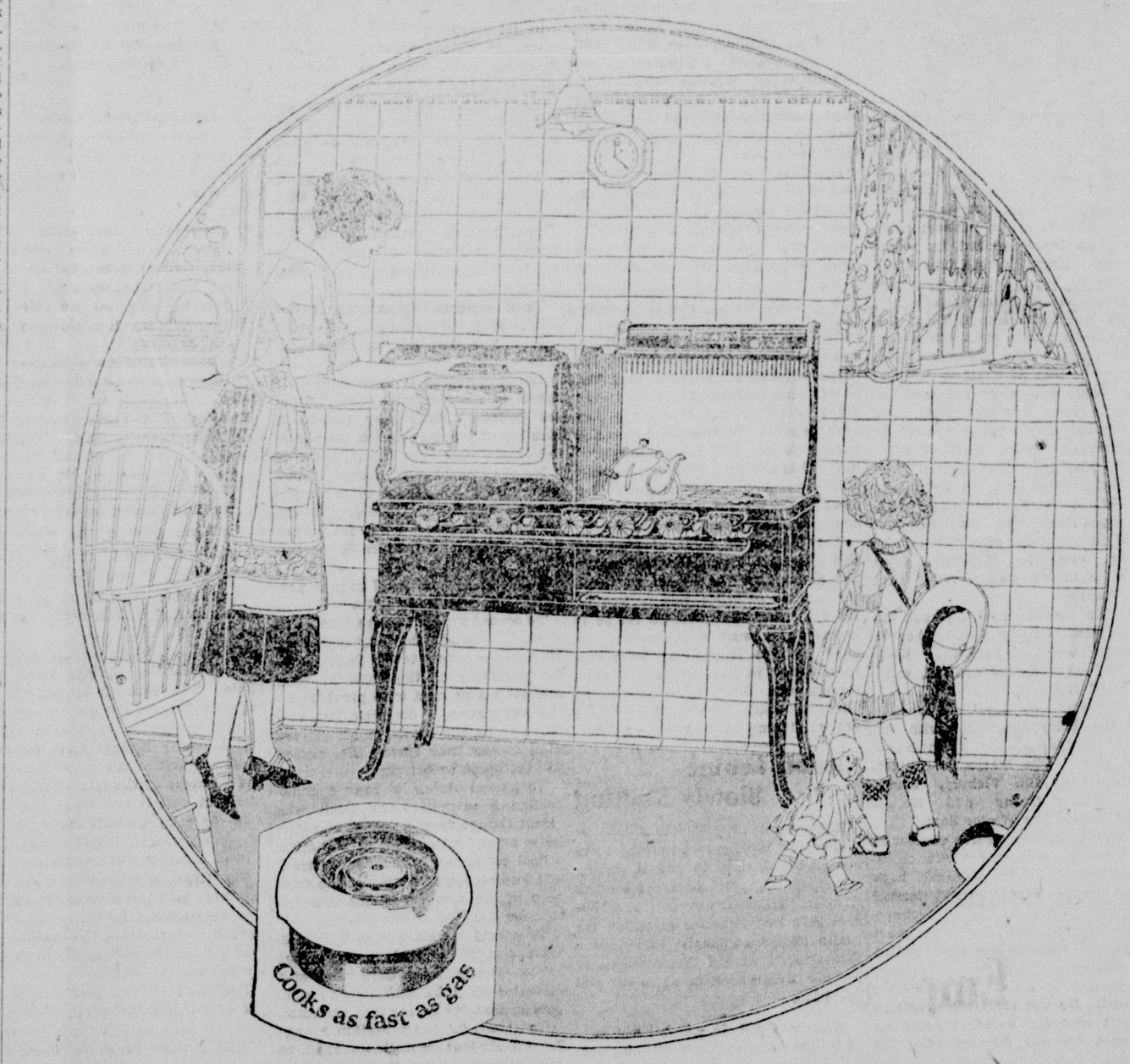
In the last matches of the tennis tournament not completed yesterday by press time, St. Joseph Central won the boys' doubles and Maryville won the girls doubles. The net pair of the Bethany High School won the mixed doubles from the St. Joseph Central pair. Hoehn and Reents formed the winning boys' teams from Central winning in straight sets, 8-10; 6-3. Chandler and Cook formed the winning Maryville team in the girls' doubles and Beboma Lingle and Vern Miller of Bethany played to victory in the mixed doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Miller in Runaway

While driving north on South Buchanan street about 1 o'clock this afternoon Harve Miller lost control of his horse when it became fractious. The horse ran three block on Buchanan street and swerved around the corner at West Cooper street before being stopped. Mr. Miller was accompanied by his wife and fortunately both escaped injury. The single buggy was badly damaged the spokes of the two front wheels and one back wheel being broken to splinters.

On Business Trip to Texas

W. C. Pierce, George Robb Ellison, Paul Sisson and T. A. Cummins left this afternoon on a business trip to Comanche, Tex. They expect to be gone about ten days.



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Society

Shower for Mrs. Appleby

Miss Gertrude Wright gave a miscellaneous shower last night for Mrs. D. A. Appleby, who was recently married, at Fairacres. The evening was spent in bridge after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Miss Marie Wright, and Miss Virginia Rose. The guests were Mrs. R. C. Bohart, Mrs. Lora Meacham, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Verna Kennedy, Miss Grace Langan, Miss Viva Cloud, Miss Virginia Rose and the guest of honor.

For Tarkio Guests

Mrs. Clifford M. Hull entertained with two tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home on East Fifth street, complimentary to her guests, Mrs. L. H. Sommers and Mrs. Gene Wanger of Tarkio. Additional guests were Mrs. E. C. Braniger, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Jr., Mrs. Forrest Gillam, Mrs. Byron Costello and Mrs. George Sillers. Mrs. Sommers and Mrs. Wanger who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hull since Wednesday, returned to Tarkio last night.

Celebrate 87th Birthday

A number of neighbors and friends gathered at teh home of Mrs. Mary C. Johnson Thursday to celebrate her eighty-seventh birthday anniversary. "Grandma" Johnson, as she is familiarly known in the neighborhood is one of the pioneers of the vicinity, having lived in and near Graham for fifty years. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Talbott and son, Archie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robertson and daughter, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ager and daughter, Josephine, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Yahrmark and daughter, Neva, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Maurer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Mill Couch, Mr. and Mrs Frank Schooler and son, Charles, Mrs. Laura Linck and daughter, Ola Craig, Dorothy Murphy, Richard Maurer and Arthur Daugherty.

King-Hein Wedding.

The Immaculate Conception Church at Conception was the scene of a pretty wedding Tuesday morning, when Miss Helen M. King, third daughter of Mrs. Lewis King, became the bride of George P. Hein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hein of Hamburg, Ia. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Father Placid. The bride wore a gown of white satin and her veil was held with a bridal wreath. She carried an arm bouquet of bride roses and ferns. Miss Rose King, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid, wore a gown of light blue crepe de chine with hat to correspond and her flowers were pink carnations and sweet peas. Carl Hein attended his brother as best man. At noon a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's mother near Stanberry for relatives and friends of the couple. The rooms were decorated with cut flowers and the color scheme in light blue and white was carried out.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Jake Hein of Hamburg, Ia., mother of the bridegroom; John Hein, Hamburg, Ia.; Conrad Kauth, Omaha; Miss Katie Maher, Fulton, Mo.; Joseph Leifgen and Fred Steffer, New Cambria, Mo.; Mrs. Gay Gross, Mountain Grove, Mo.; and Raymond King of Kansas City, Kan.

Mr. Hein and his bride will be at home on the Hein farm near Hamburg, Iowa.

To P. E. O. Convention

Miss Carrie Hopkins and Miss Fannie Hope will leave Monday afternoon for Springfield, Mo., where they will attend the annual convention of the P. E. O. to be held May 1 to 4 as delegates from the local chapter. They will be joined in Kansas City by Mrs. Fred Monroe of Hopkins who is a delegate to the convention from Chapter K.

May Day Supper.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will give a May Day supper at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White on North Mulberry street.—A program and social time will follow the supper.

Lawrence Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence are entertaining the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lawrence of Cameron and Mrs. V. B. Sheldon and son, V. B. Jr., of Maysville, who came Thursday night. Mr Sheldon will join his family in Maryville tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence will be hosts at a dinner party tomorrow at the Girls' Residence Hall of the College in honor of their guests. Mr. Lawrence was representative in congress from the third district during the last two years.

Sunday Services at Presbyterian Church

The Sunday evening service at the Presbyterian Church at 7:30, will consist of half an hour of music and a twenty minute sermon on "There Is A God."

Mr. Richman, the music director, has announced that the choir will sing "Thou Who Art Enthroned Above" by Arnold, and "Fairest Lord Jesus" a Silesian Folk-Song. The solo "The Living God" by O'Hara will be sung by Miss Mary Lewis.

The sermon is the third of the series "What It Means to be a Christian" now being preached by the Rev. S. P. Allison. It wil ldeal with the facts on which faith in God is based.

"Christianity, As A Handclasp" is the sermon topic in the morning. The text is from Philippians 3:12, "That I may lay hold of that for which I was laid hold of by Christ Jesus." Mr. Richman plans to sing the solo "Spirit of God." by Neidlinger.

Remus Guests

Mrs. O. A. Zollinger, Miss Radiance Zollinger and Miss Beryl Buckley of St. Joseph are track meet guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Remus on West First street. In the declamatory finals this morning Miss Zollinger won first place.

Former Teacher Visits Here.

Miss Alicia Keeler of Kansas City, a former resident of Maryville and teacher of English in the Maryville High School for a number of years, came last night to attend the track meet. Miss Keeler is now teaching English in the Westport High School in Kansas City.

Empire Theatre

Tonight

Wm. Russell

in

"A Great Night"

10c Also Comedy. 22-3c

A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

Headquarters for Present at Maryville

Jefferson City, April 28—Officials of the Greater Missouri movement, organized here recently and composed of representatives of commercial bodies and members of the state press, held a business meeting Friday in the office of Governor Hyde and made plans for the future. It is proposed to obtain a fund of $40,000 by subscriptions for advertising the advantages of Missouri. About $3,000 already has been obtained, one-third of it coming from the Sedalia Commercial Club.

A committee of finances was appointed as follows: J. F. Hull of Maryville, president of the Greater Missouri Association; Dale Flowers, Albany; E. Lansing Ray, St. Louis; George R. Wilkerson, Sedalia; X. P. Caverno, Canalou; C. O. Perry, Moberly, and C. M. Harrison, Boonville.

Headquarters for the present will be at Maryville, but later will be moved here.

British to Help U. S. Into Court

Will Accede to Reasonable Reservations to Permit American Entry Into Court.

Washington, April 28.—Great Britain is willing to accede to any reasonable reservations that may be adopted by the Senate in making it possible for the United States to enter the international world court, officials of the administration learned authoratively today.

Among those reservations is particularly the one that would give Great Britain only one vote instead of the six votes that the British Empire has in the voice of the councils of the League. This procedure was established at the Washington conference and Great Britain will again accede to American wishes if American entry can thus be assured.

Having been advised that leaders would line up behind the proposal with such reservations and compromises to the original protocol, President Harding and Secretary Hughes have enlisted the aid of noted international lawyers to draft suitable reservations.

Three Men Held for Killing Four

Mob Violence Threatened at Idabel, Okla., Following Brutal Murder Of Farmer and Family

Idabel, Okla., April 28: With intense feeling existing throughout McCurtin County against the slayer of four members of the family of T. H. Hansel, a farmer living near Hayworth, and open threats of mob violence being made against the three men in connection with the crime, officers are preparing today for a quick removal of the three men under arrest on short notice if the undercurrent of feeling against them continues to flare up.

John W. Pope, 45 years old, son-in-law of Hansell, was arrested by a posse this afternoon across the Texas border near Clarksville. A. L. Miller and Ira Gardner, said to be friends of Pope were taken in the Red River bottoms near Haworth. They were reported to have been headed for Texas.

Pope was taken to Clarksville and plans were made to bring him back to Idabel tonight. Both Miller and Gardner are held in the McCurtain County jail here.

The dead are: T. H. Hansell, Mrs. T. H. Hansell, Mrs. John W. Pope, their daughter; infant daughter of Mrs. Pope.

Aubrey Pope, the small son of Mrs. Pope, was severely wounded and physicians say he will not live.

Ben Hansell, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hansell, and his 7-year-old sister, Ruth, escaped unwounded.

THE STORY OF THE MAN WHO AT LAST FOUND EXACTLY WHAT HE WANTED.

An old Nodaway County settler had for many years been clinging to two habits. The one habit was of coming to Maryville every Saturday, rain or shine; the other habit was of getting himself a light lunch to eat on his way home.

But for a long time he had become dissatisfied with every lunch he bought; nothing appeased his appetite.

One day recently a merchant suggested something new to him—Butter Krisp Potato Chips. He bought a package.

Next Saturday he came back for more. "Those **BUTTER KRISP POTATO CHIPS** are just what I have been wanting for a long time," he said.

Fifty Years Ago

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(Items taken from the Nodaway Democrat of May 1, 1873).

We are glad to see that quite a number of the property owners of Maryville have planted trees in front of their lots this spring. It is not too late yet, and we hope to see more planted.

The Pickering Manufacturing Company are now turning out a new cultivator, which, farmers say, posesses advantages over cultivators of other makes. We are informed that the company hold patents over the improvements that render their cultivators so popular. These cultivators are being turned out in large numbers, and sold at lower prices than those from other makers.

On last Thursday evening the fence of the fair ground caught fire, supposed to be from a spark from the locomotive. From fifteen to twenty rods of fence and the stables were destroyed, making a total loss of from $400 to $500.

The St. Joseph bridge is expected to be completed in about thirty days. The draw and approaches are nearly done, and the track is being rapidly land.

A meeting of the citizens of Green township was held at Quitman on April 26 to discuss appointing a committee to confer with the Quincy, Missouri and Pacific Railroad company. The meeting was organized by calling L. D. Young to the chair, and appointing W. R. McKenzie as secretary.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Nodaway County agricultural and mechanical association held at the Secretary's office on Saturday, May 3.

Twenty Years Ago

Rev. Paul Linn, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, of Maryville will preach the commencement sermon to the graduating class of the Graham school next Sunday.

Prof. T. H. Cook has accepted the position of teacher of mathematics in the Stanberry Normal.

Elder Charles L. Beal preached at Clearmont Sunday.

Elder O. W. Lawrence will preach his farewell sermon at the Christian Church Sunday night, and all the Protestant churches in the city will unite in a union meeting. Rev. Lawrence has occupied the pulpit of the Christian Church in this city for five years.

A number of Maryville people have received cards announcing the approaching wedding of William Burris Gex to Miss Mary L. Anderson on Tuesday, May 5, 1903. Mr. Gex is a son of Robert Gex and the bride to be is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, both prominent families of Hughes township.

G. W. Fink of the Linville Hotel has purchased the Ed Forsyth property on West Second street. Mr. Forsyth and family will move to their elegant residence on Main and First streets, formerly the Mrs. A. T. Ellis home.

The following Masons left Monday for St. Louis to attend Grand Commandery and Grand Chapter: Capt. I. V. McMillan, W. H. Totterdale, Charles Lippman, C. M. McNeal, Dr. Allender, George Heck, David Munn and Adolph Koch.

Fred L. Curfman, manager of the Kyle Art Glass Company, returned to Kansas City Wednesday.

The Ladies Choral Club of Maryville, under the leadership of Prof. I. Edwin Schneider, will give a concert in the Christian Church next Tuesday evening.

GRANDVIEW.

Mary Helen Payne visited Grandview school Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sanders were shopping in St. Joseph Saturday.

Thomas Wray is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Jno. Morin and family.

Wayne Spargur spent Saturday night with Chester Logan.

Miss Iva Burns spent Sunday with home folks in Parnell.

George Wray returned to his home at Worth Tuesday after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. John Morin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jobe are visiting relatives near Grant City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Stone spent Tuesday and Wednesday in St. Joseph.

Geo. Boyd was a Sunday dinner guest at W. D. Hart's.

Harry Willson found a wolf den on Saturday and captured eight young ones.

Mrs. Icie Bunker was hostess to the Consolidated Friendship Club at her home northeast of Parnell on Thursday, April 26.

After usual business afternoon was spent sewing rug rags. Luncheon was served by Mrs. Bunker, assisted by Mrs. Stella Hart. Those present: Mrs. Lulu Willson, Mrs. Edith Hines, Mrs. Blanche Cline, Mrs. Lela Logan, Mrs. Mabel Hart, Mrs. Grace Sanders, Mrs. Mollie Boyd and son, Mrs. Nettie Roberts, Mrs. Pearl Wilson, Mrs. Hattie Payne, Mrs. Stellie Hart. Next meet in two weeks with Mrs. Mabel Hawk. Roll call to be answered with Bible verse. Mother program will be given.

Mrs. Myrtle Harris bought 100 baby chicks from Mrs. Lulu Willson Tuesday.

One-Fifth of School Children's Vision Poor

One-fifth of School Children Have Poor Vision, Says Optometrist

H. L. Raines optometrist of this city, who attended the annual convention of the Missouri Optometric Association, held at the Slater Hotel in St. Louis on Monday and Tuesday of this week, says the feature address was made by Dr. R. C. Augustin of Aurora, Ill., before the Sales Managers' Bureau of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

"There are 25,000,000 young people in the schools of America today," said Doctor Augustine, "and we have found by actual survey that 5,000,000 of them have eyes which are so completely out of focus that it is interfering with the progress in school and robbing them of their opportunity for preparation for life. This almost universal need for glasses in modern civilized life is due largely to the constant use of the eyes at close range, and to almost constant exposure to the glare of the sidewalks, streets, or building, and from highpower electric lights.

"The strain of civilized life falls most heavily upon the eyes, the most delicate and the hardest worked of any of the organs of the body. This is especially true of school children, because a child's eyes are immature; they are baby eyes until he has reached the age of from 10 to 12 years, and too frequently he is required to do work which would mean a full load for mature eyes."

The annual convention of the association had an attendance of about 300 optometrists. Mayor Kiel gave an address before the association in which he spoke of the old days when people went to try on "specs" at random without any regard as to whether they were suitable or not.

Navy Recruiting Officer Here

A. E. Corry, of the navy recruiting station at St. Joseph, was in Maryville today in interest of enlistments for the navy. Corry says there are about a thousand discharges from the navy a month. About half of these re-enlist and the remainder is filled by recruitment. At present there are places open for typists, stenographers, musicians, coppersmiths, and blacksmiths. The pay of these range from $54 to $72. The present standing strength of the navy is 86,000.

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(THE LITTLE SYMPHONY)

Special Concert
for Rural School Children

Friday, May 4, 1:30 p.m.

Through the courtesy of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce

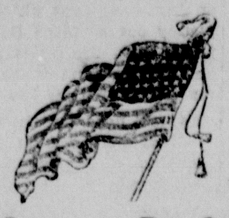
THE MARYVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, to show their appreciation of the co-operation of the rural schools of Nodaway County, have secured for the school children of the rural schools, one program of the "LITTLE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA" and a SOLOIST for Friday afternoon at the College Auditorium, beginning at 1:30 sharp, to which the school children of the county are invited to be the guests of the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Tickets will be issued to the boys and girls of the rural schools FREE at the south door of the college, from 10:00 a. m., until 1:30 p. m.

The program will be one which will be especially interesting to school children and the LITTLE SYMPHONY is one of the most wonderful orchestras of its kind, so that the rural school children of Nodaway County are offered a chance which no one of them can afford to miss. Remember that rural school children are guests and that tickets are FREE to them.

Maryville Chamber of Commerce

What of America?



Shall This Government Live or Die?

If you would not be forgotten as soon as you are dead, either write things worth reading or do things worth the writing.—Benjamin Franklin.

XXII.

Franklin's Shoestring of Diplomacy and What He Made of It.

The year that followed the Valley Forge winter produced little in military results, but it witnessed the treaty of alliance with France. In February, 1778, while Washington's tattered soldiers hugged the fires on their bleak hillside, Benjamin Franklin at Paris affixed his signature to the document that proclaims him the greatest and most successful diplomatist in history.

Three may keep a secret if two of them are dead.—Poor Richard.

Less than two years before Franklin had appeared at Paris as commissioner from congress, and though as a philosopher and scientist whose reputation extended over all Europe he was received by all classes, official France durst not recognize him openly. Franklin had spent fifteen years in London, previous to the revolution, as agent for Pennsylvania and other colonies, and was known and regarded abroad not only as the greatest of Americans but as among the greatest of men. His story was known in every country; how as a boy he had started out to make his fortune with nothing but a loaf of bread under his arm; how he had taught himself out of books and from observation of Nature all that the wisest men had learned at universities; how, by industry and the persevering development of his extraordinary mind he had raised himself from printer's devil to the highest pinnacles of literary, philosophic and scientific fame. Europe warmed itself at Franklin's stoves; Franklin lightning rods protected its capitals from a heavenly wrath they had too good reason to fear; his maxims of wisdom had been translated into every language; his scientific discoveries were discussed in every academy.

Diligence is the mother of good luck. —Poor Richard.

Now, when he was 70 years old and had won in many fields a renown as great as that enjoyed by the most renowned in each, he had crossed the ocean again at the risk of capture to meet in the field of diplomacy the most skilled votaries of that distinctly European art. All Paris crowded to see him. The great Dr. Franklin was more in demand than a king's minister. His portrait was in the shop windows; his sayings were handed about in society; the fashionable wore their clothes a la Franklin. The highest in the government received him privately, but as France was at peace with England the ministers were careful not to give offense. Franklin himself was equally decorous, but the English ambassador was not deceived. He warned the French government not to be hoodwinked by the doctor's innocent appearance.

The wise man draws more advantage from his enemies than the fool from his friends.—Poor Richard.

"Dr. Franklin," said Lord Stormont "has got the better of three English foreign ministers, and is never so dangerous as when he appears the most simple."

This was the gentleman whose name Franklin made famous in Paris by his retort, when asked if a certain statement Lord Stormont had made were true.

"No," replied Franklin, "it is not true, it's a—Stormont."

An ounce of wit that is bought is worth a pound that is taught.—Poor Richard.

Franklin worked quietly and unobtrusively. He even withdrew from the city a short distance to Plassy, where his house became the rendezvous for all the notables of France. Even this popularity, the manifestations of which frequently were distasteful to him—as when he had to sit and hear lauditory verses recited in his honor at social functions—was skillfully capitalized by him. He contrived by these means to make the American cause fashionable in Paris, and in Paris that meant a great deal. One by one the ministers were won over, not to open recognition of the United States at first, for that would mean war with England, but to Franklin's proposals for secret credits. This point gained, he fell to borrowing, and first to last he borrowed 26 million francs from the French and spent it with them for supplies for Washington's army.

If you have no honey in your pot have some in your mouth.—Poor Richard.

At last came the news of Burgoyne's surrender and the French government threw off the mask. Franklin was received openly by ministers and king, and the treaty of alliance was made. It was Franklin's hour of triumph. He had to come to France on a ship that carried a cargo of indigo, which was sold when he reached port to pay the expenses of his mission. On that shoestring of diplomacy he had, by his energy, his patience and the compelling force of his own personality, achieved a result that would have been pronounced impossible by every statesman in Europe. He had not only raised up a friend for America, but an enemy for England.

Poor Louis had his misgivings of this business. He, too, was in the king trade, and while willing to deal a blow at England and a brother king, had his royal doubts about the wisdom of encouraging rebels. Fortunate would it have been for Louis if his own rebels when the time came for him to have them, had been, like George's on the other side of an ocean.

He that scatters thorns, let him not go barefoot.—Poor Richard.

On the day that Franklin went to King Louis's court, in his simple dress, spectacles and unpowdered hair, walking through the lines of the applauding, bewigged and lace-ruffled nobility of France, the United States took its recognized place among the family of nations. It had gained admittance there, not solely through its demonstrated ability to maintain its own independence, for the issue of the war was still in doubt, but through the adroit and untiring labors of his country's first and greatest contribution to universal genius, Dr. Bonhomme Richard Franklin.

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Good Prospects for Bull Associations

Kinnaird and M. U. Expert Visit in Harmony and Ravenwood Yesterday.

County Agent Roy A. Kinnaird and J. M. Regan, dairy specialist from the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Missouri, who spent the last two days around Harmony and Ravenwood are very much encouraged at the prospects for the organization of two purebred dairy bull associations in those communities. The prospects are good for the organization of a Jersey association among the dairy cattle breeders around Maryville and Harmony and for a Holstein bull association among the breeders of Holsteins around Ravenwood.

In order to organize a complete association it is necessary to have men raising one particular breed, located in such a way that they can buy three highly bred purebred bulls. At the end of two years bulls are taken to different farms, and again exchange places after two years more. This makes it possible for the cattle raisers to have the use of purebred bulls for six years at the small cost of purchasing a share in one purebred bull. Another great advantage is, should one of these purebred bulls prove to be a good sire, which can not be known until after his daughters freshen, then the exceptionally valuable bull can be saved for use in other communities. Without the bull association under which the bulls can be kept in use for six years, he would probably have already gone to slaughter, no one ever knowing whether he were a valuable bull or just a mediocre purebred.

The organization of the bull association in the communities mentioned has gone to the extent that the owners of cows have signified their willingness to buy purebred bulls and have authorized the County Agent and Extension Service to locate a number of good bulls for sale.

Two bulls good enough to go into the Jersey association are already in the territory, one on the farm of Floyd Evans, another on the farm of E. C. Moberly near Maryville, so the purchase of one will complete the association. For the Harmony association around Ravenwood, it will be necessary to buy all three bulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt McKee and daughters, Doris and Ogie of Orrsburg were Maryville visitors today.

The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan

"The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan is going to be a boon to many families and permit them to buy a car much quicker than they ever dreamed," Barmann Auto Co., local Ford dealer said today in discussing the new Plan which is creating such widespread comment and which is being enthusiastically received everywhere.

"In my experience as a Ford dealer, and I believe it is true with every other dealer and salesman as well, I have met many persons who expressed their desire to own a Ford, and who frankly told me that somehow they never could get together enough money to make the initial payment on one.

"The result was, of course, that they went on wanting a car and hoping that some day something would turn up whereby they could get a car.

"Now that 'something' has turned up. The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan simplifies it all and makes it easier to come into the ownership of a car.

"It is constructive automobile buying in the simplest and easiest form and present to countless families all over the country the long wished for opportunity of enjoying motor car benefits and pleasures.

"Right here in our own city it will be more than welcome.

"Take the family where, say, the father is not the only wage earner, but where perhaps a son or a daughter or two are at work. The family never has enjoyed a car, yet every member times without number has expressed a desire to own one.

"Under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan there is no reason at all why such a family should not soon own a Ford car. If each member contributes just a little of his or her earnings each week it will hardly seem any time at all before the whole family will be enjoying a car.

What is true of the family is true also of the individual who wants a car.

"And one of the most appealing features of the Plan is that it is adaptable to the means of practically everyone. The weekly payments, which are deposited to the credit of the customer in the bank and draw interest at the regular saving rate, may be fixed to suit the desires of each purchaser. What could be easier than that?

Good Hogs From Nodaway Sell Well

Hughes & Felton, big breeders and represented on St. Joseph market feeders of Nodaway county, were with a shipment of good butchers that averaged 228 lbs. and sold at $7.70, within a nickel of the extreme top of the market. There were 77 head in the load. They report that the spring pig crop in their locality is very good. Hughes & Felton are extensive operators and regular patrons of this market. Their hogs are all immune.

Market topping honors on hogs today went to Pat Shea, Nodaway county, on a load of choice well-finished Poland China butchers that brought $7.75. There were 79 head in the lot that averaged 216 lbs. These hogs were the only ones to command the price on today market.—St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal.

Dredge Boat Ready to Start Work

(Guilford Times)

Last Saturday the Dredge Boat started on it's journey from the railroad right of way to the river. It reached its destination on Monday near the wagon bridge west of town. They will begin ditching from there south to the railroad bridge then retrace and work north from the bridge. Today they are ditching and blasting stumps. Every day there are a lot of people visit the scene of operation for it is very interesting to see it work.

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL NOTES

The following patients were admitted during the last week: Dr. F. M. Martin, Maryville; Mrs. F. R. Anthony, Maryville ;Gale Mitchell, Maryville; Mrs. O. V. Goff, Barnard; Mrs. Roy Tibbetts, Maryville; Charles Grayson, Bedford, Ia.; L. C. Klocc, Bedford, Ia.; Miss Ina Hollowell, Maryville; Mrs. Ralph Riley, Maryville; Merrill Cox, Hopkins; and Henry McIntire, Elmo.

A son was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas of Burlington Junction.

The following patients were dismissed: Mrs. H. D. Sheridan, Maryville; Mrs. Dale Wiley, Pickering; Miss Opal Hill, Maryville; Mrs. T. E. Baker, Maryville; Master David Heflin, Parnell; L. C. Klocc, Bedford, Ia.; Mrs. Roy Tibbetts, Maryville; Charles Grayson, Bedford, Ia.; Merrill Cox, Hopkins; Master Harold Hunt, Maryville; and Mrs. Dale Stewart and infant daughter of Conception Junction.

ALL STEEL TRAINS TO WEIGH 1,000,000 POUNDS

When the Wabash Railroad inaugurates, on May 1, its new all-steel train service to and from Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit, Kansas City and Omaha, each train will weigh more than a million pounds.

Sixty-five tons of steel are used in one of the chair cars, while the new dining cars represent a weight of eighty tons. This immense weight prevents the jolts and swaying movements of the trains when in motion. The strong steel exteriors make the cars almost indestructible.

"The new all-steel trains, combine all the latest and best ideas of construction, and are the greatest triumph of car builders," declared H. E. Watts, Passenger Traffic Manager of the Wabash in speaking of the newservice. "The three essentials in travel today are comfort, safety and convenience. The steel car, which of course is the strongest car that can be made, also permits of interior workmanship of the highest order. The builders are able to include features that are not practical in an ordinary car. The easy riding motions of a heavy steel car is apparent at once. We believe our new all-steel trains will have a strong appeal to the traveling public.

The purchase of twenty-five additional all-steel passenger cars, including chair cars, coaches, dining cars, and club cars, has made possible these through trains of a type that gives a solid steel construction from end to end.

Fresh Cut Gladiolus

$3.00 per dozen. Also plenty of Fresh Cut Lilies, Snapdragon, Roses, Carnations, Tulips, Sweet Peas, Calendulas, etc. Quality at reasonable prices Engelmann's best advertisement. A complete assortment of plants in all sizes and prices for the Beautification of Home Surroundings for baskets, boxes, urns and general bedding and plantings. Set out now for summer blooming in shady location for best results pansy and aster plants, 50c per dozen.

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Maryville, Mo.

Parnell

By Willing Workers

Miss Helen Hines of Conception has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Delia Smith several days.

Mrs. Ben Malam and children of Maryville are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hammond east of town.

Horace Felton who is attending the State University came home for a few days visit Monday. He was accompanied by his friend, Wm. Hudson of Galveston, Texas.

Elwood Richards returned Tuesday from several weeks trip in Southeastern Kansas.

The Community Circle met at the church Wednesday April 25th. An hour was spent in work after which a short business session was held following which a delicious lunch was served. Those present were Mesdames John Kennedy, Harrison Murdock, G. M. Spoonemore, Joshua Baublits, Eva Hawk, Wm. Beekman, Henry Shellman, Jas. La Favor, George Wilson, H. Day, G. T. Logan, Charles Myers, J. T. Logan, Wallace Kennedy, John Densmore, W. C. Nelson, A. J. Roof, J. M. Broadbent, Jess Fish, John Adams, Jeff Beatty, T. M. Cox and Miss Getha Conrad.

Roy Fitzsimmons and wife and mother of Conception were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Berg Thursday.

Vea Arnold and wife are the proud parents of a new son who arrived Sunday.

Julius Klaas who has recently moved from St. Joseph to Conception was visiting his brothers here Thursday.

Miss Aloah Morin viisted Tuesday night with Miss May Percy.

Alva Laughlin was a dinner guest of T. M. Cox and family Thursday.

Miss Emma Smith a nurse from Kansas City, is spending a few days here visiting her mother, Mrs. Delia Smith.

Mrs. Louisa Klaas returned Thursday from a three week's visit in Chicago, Ill., and Gary, Ind.

T. A. Cummins of Maryville attended the Jones' sale here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barber and children visited with Wm. Beekman and wife Thursday.

Several students from Parnell High School entered the track meet at Maryville Friday and Saturday. The boys entering are: Orlie Stutesman, Alwin Millikan, Nelson Keever, Harley Stutesman, Leo Cox, and Horace Jones. The girls who entered are Pauline Jones, LaVeta McKee, Feroi Richards, Lucile Giesken and Rose Mayfield. John Kennedy and Veronica Hall entered the Oratorical Contest and Nelson Keever will represent Parnell in Extemporaneous speaking.

Mrs. Inez Cummins, Misses Lolita Hall, Opal Ingram and Marie Funderburk and Cecil Hall went to Maryville to the Track Meet Friday.

Mrs. Eva Burns is quite ill at her home here and Miss Clara Clutter has taken her place as chief clerk in Kaufman's store.

Viron Bird is improving his property by adding a new garage.

Wm. Beekman and wife and Mr and Mrs. James Barber were in Sheridan on business Friday.

The Willing Workers offered 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes in each of the first three rooms in school for the best posters made by the pupils on "Clean Up Day." The pupils to whom the prizes were awarded are 1st room—first, Marshall Dixon; second, Lloyd Logan; third, LaVon Mayfield. Second room—first, Mabel Parker; second, Donald Ransom; third, Paul Griffey. Third room—first, Harry Kaufman; second, Ima Surplus; third Andra Finley.

Mrs. Daily Foster attended the funeral of her grand aunt Mrs. Lucinda Burns near Orrsburg Wednesday.

Fred Stites who has been in New Orleans the past winter returned Tuesday.

TARPLEY ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were at the Tob Spangler home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Reed and sons spent Wednesday evening at the Sam McGinness home.

Mrs. Tob Spangler entertained Sunday in honor of her son, Carl, it being his tenth birthday. A few of his school friends and teacher were invited to spend the day with him. Some were unable to go on account of the bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinness are the proud parents of a son born Monday, April 23.

Tom Montgomery went to Maryville Tuesday and spent the night with his brothers, J. D. and E. A. Montgomery.

Edna McGinness spent Sunday afternoon at Charley Donahue's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Veatch and children called at the Tom Kimball home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchison, their daughter, Mertie, and son, Clarence, of Parnell were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

Clem Breemer of Parnell transacted business in Maryville today.

It's Time to Kodak

The outdoor season is here. Your kodak record will be permanent if you get DeLuxe finishing. DeLuxe prints are more brilliant and cost the same as ordinary. You'll like DeLuxe prints. Bring us your films.

Marcell Studio

The First Thousand

ARE the hardest, as the saying goes. This man has just turned his first thousand. The next will be much easier. His present account will pay nearly $3.00 a month interest. He has acquired the saving habit. He has a plan and he has confidence. He saves regularly. His deposits are larger because he got a raise. His future is rosy.

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE

LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 506. Kane Building. A3tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

FOR SALE—Parts for all kinds of implements. Largest stock in northwest Missouri. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J 29tf

FOR SALE—Reduced prices on repairs for all kinds of implements. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J29tf

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. A7tf

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, Senator Dunlap, 60c per hundred. H. W. Hull, 522 W. Cooper; Farmers 33-17. 19tf

For mites I'll use Carbolineum. It lasts a year. Holt Supply Co. M3tf

FOR SALE—Chester White male hog, 5 months old, weight about 200 lbs., 17.50 if taken soon. Han. 4569. 26-28

FOR SALE—sow pig at 521 South Hester street. 27-30

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Senator Dunlap and Warfield, extra nice, plants ready any time. Harve England, Hanamo 3268. A9tf

SEED CORN—Iowa grown. See Smith and Braniger, Seed and Storage. A21-M20.

FOR SALE—60 acres known as the "Elm Grove" stock farm, located one half mile north of State Teachers College. Improvements are thoroughly modern, having city water and electric lights. House has ten large rooms two barns, and plenty of out-buildings for stock. All smooth land. Will sell at attractive price. For particulars see Allen Bros, "The Land Men." 27-30

FOR SALE—Electric iron, $3.00. 510 S. Mulberry. Hanamo 4135. 27-30*

FOR SALE—Large, 3-door bookcase. 309 West Fourth St. Hanamo 6472. 28-M1

FOR SALE—A snap, 6-room house, 2 lots, $3,500; 13 lots on Normal avenue, good terms, See J. T. Hays.

FOR SALE—Spotted Poland China boars and gilts, beautiful color, and very typie, immuned. Boars ready for service, gilts ready to breed, special price for 10 days. M. A. Gray, Phone 1001 Barnard, Mo. 25-2*

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—phone me if you have horses or mules for sale and I will call and invoice them, and I have good farm mares and mules for sale

ALL KINDS OF BRICKWORK and concrete work. Guy Kissinger, 207 South Saunders. Hanamo 3706. A16tf.

Earn $20 weekly, spare time, at home, addressing, mailing, music, circulars. Send 10c for music, information. American Music Co. 1658 Broadway, Dept. 18-F, N. Y. 16-28*

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair at Armstrongs Foundry. A19tf

Furnished rooms to rent. 220 South Saunders. Hanamo 4706. 27-30*

LOST—Square brown leather handbag, $7.00 in bills, on West 3rd. St. Return to Democrat-Forum, Reward. 28-M1*

FOR RENT—Two nice clean modern rooms for light housekeeping. Hanamo 3625. 28-1

HELP WANTED—A few men to work in nursery, $2.50 per day. Call in person at packing grounds west of Tourists' Park. Murray Nurseries. 28-M1

Men, women, salary $75 full time, $1.50 an hour spare time, selling the genuine guaranteed hosiery direct to wearer, beautiful line. International Mills, Norristown, Pa. 28*

WANTED—1 or 2 unfurnished rooms for light house keeping. Call Democrat-Forum. 27-30*

LOST—license plate No. 102-702. Return to Democrat-Forum. 25-27*

WANTED—Washing to do at home, 220 So. Saunders. Hanamo 4706. 27-M5*

FOR RENT—furnished front room close in, breakfast if desired. Mrs. H. D. Morris, 310 East Jenkins. 27-30

WANT to make your auto tops. Work guaranteed. Lanning Auto Top and Tire Shop, east side of square. A28-tf

WANTED—Man with car to sell guaranteed Cord tires. Will arrange salary and expense with right man. Cord-o-Van Rubber Company, 166 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill. 28*

LOST—Brown Boston bull dog, with small white streak on face. Call Hanamo 6653. 28-1

WANTED—Situation as house keeper by respectable middle aged lady, call 5721 Hanamo. 28-M1*

LOST—Fountain pen, Black and White, with white tip on each end. Lost on streets between North Mulberry and Central School building. Please return to E. Barrett, care Democrat-Forum. 28-30x

The Red Cross has important mail for Frank W. Ketchum. Forwarded from Ridgeway, Mo. 28-M1*

LOST—Strayed or stolen, Collie dog, yellow and white, answers to name of Sport. Fred Ager, Farmers 4-17. 28-M1*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 700.
HOGS—Receipts, 5,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 0.

St. Louis, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 150.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 0.

Kansas City, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 170.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 400.

St. Joseph, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 60.
HOGS—Receipts, 2,000; top, $7.80. Hogs 5 cents higher.
SHEEP—Receipts, 300.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per dozen	20c
Butterfat, per lb.	34c
Springs, per lb.	35c
Hens, per lb.	17c
Roosters, per lb.	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb.	7c

Guests at Eversole Home

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole have as their week-end guests the latter's cousin, Ralph Erwin, and Ernest Misner, both of Omaha, who arrived in Maryville Thursday. Mr. Misner is connected with the Misner School of Expression in Omaha.

Mrs. Helen Hopkins will leave Monday afternoon to visit relatives in Bolckow and St. Joseph for several days.

Poultry

Vigorous pure bred S. C. Reds, good dark red color Hogan tested. Eggs utility $4.00 per hundred. Month of April pen No. 1, $1.50 per setting. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering.

S. C. R. I. eggs from reds that are red and have layed at 5 months of age, Mahood Owens and Brehm strain, $1.25, $2, $3 per setting prepaid. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. A23-M23

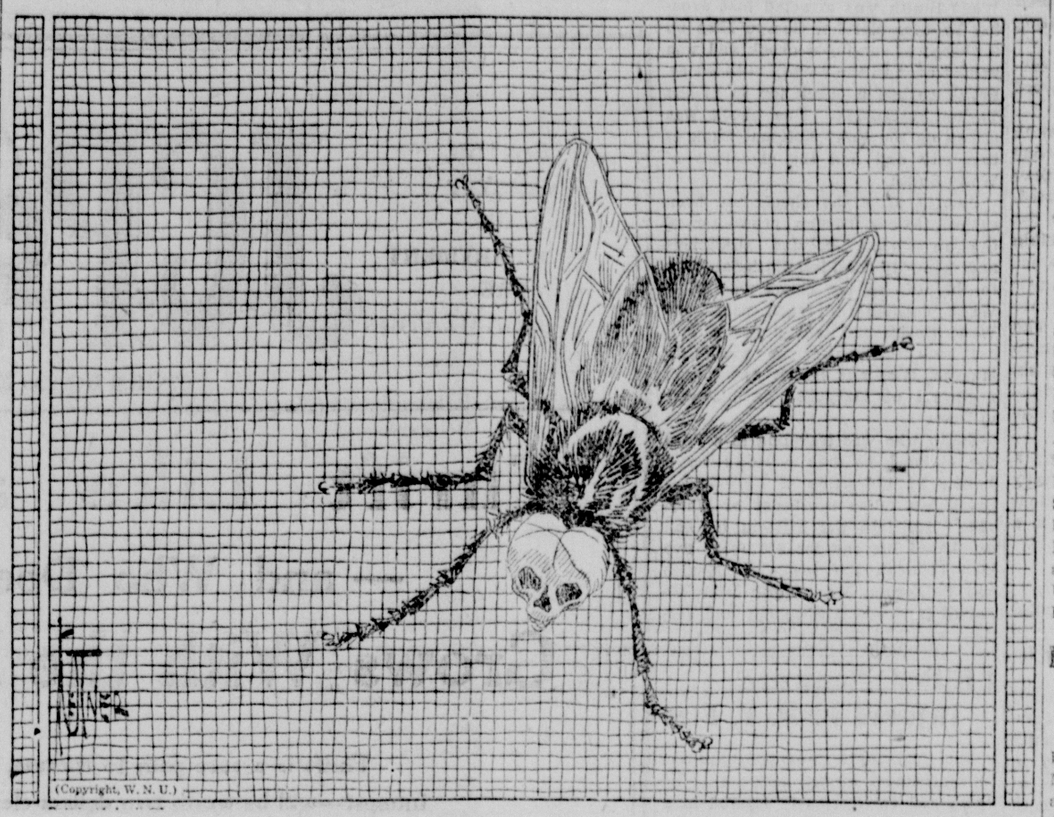
FOR SALE April 28—About 500 S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, standard bred. Exceptionally fine stock. Chicks to be seelcted by purchaser. Mrs. John Rush, Barnard. A21-tf

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, $10.00 per 100, through June and July. Place your orders early. Groves Hatchery, Skidmore. Phone Graham. A23-M7

TO WANT ADV. PATRONS.

The Democrat-Forum has been accepting want and small classified advertisements over the telephone as a matter of accomodation, but some of our patrons have not appreciated this service. Please bear in mind that these small ads are cash business and that, when they are accepted over the telephone, it is only as a matter of accommodation and with the understanding that payment for same will be brought or sent to this office within three days. The amounts are too small to justify the opening of an account or sending out collectors. (tf)

Now Appearing on the Local Screen



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News From Over The County

Hopkins Journal

Geo. H. Dooley, who has been in failing health for ten or twelve years passed away last Monday. Funeral services were conducted at the home, 3 miles east of Hopkins, Wednesday afternoon by Rev. H. McNamee, of Tarkio, a former pastor of the deceased, and burial took place in the Hopkins cemetery. Mr. Dooley had resided on the farm where he died for 27 years.

Ed Northover and daughter, Esther left last week for Denver, Colo. where Esther will remain probably during the summer the trip being made for the benefit of her health, the doctors finding she has weak lungs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown left last Thursday for Columbus, Wis., being called by the death of William L. Leitsch, a brother-in-law of Mr. Brown.

Fee Mathers planted three acres of corn last Thursday and is now wondering whether it is going to grow or rot by reason of the cold wet weather we have had since then. Usually many acres of corn have been planted in this vicinity long before this time but very little this year will go into the ground until after the first of May, the wet weather preventing the farmers from getting the ground in shape to plant. Wheat, grass and oats look immense and there is plenty of time yet to plant corn.

Art Yeager received a telegram Tuesday announcing the death of Sam Wroe at his home near Brookfield, Mo. Mr. Wroe was well known here, having owned and lived on the farm, now owned by Fred Olmsted, a mile south of Hopkins.

Parnell Sentinel

Ben Jones' string of race horses will be entered at the Maple Heights race track near Cleveland, Ohio, next month. Mr. Jones is expected home most any time for a short visit.

Most every business house and residence in town has electric lights. One that is needed as much as anyone is the Great Western depot, but we believe it will join the vast army of users before long.

Fred Stites returned Tuesday from Oklahoma where he sold his race horse, "Brown Dick." Mr. Stites had been at the New Orleans races during the entire season.

Jake Fletchall and wife went to Redding Iowa, Monday evening to attend the funeral of Ellis Hiatt, whose wife is a sister of Mrs. Fletchall.

Ravenwood Gazette

Purl Nelson suffered a broken nose last Thursday while engaged in a game of baseball at LaBelle school house. The injury was very painful but the nose will soon be alright again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jasper and Everett Bentley went to Kansas City, Wednesday of last week, called there by the death of their little nephew, Ervie C. Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervie C. Bentley. They returned home Saturday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bentley, who visited until Wednesday at the home of Mr. Bentley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bentley.

Skidmore News

Wm. Ruddle, the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hays Ruddle, had the misfortune of getting his foot hurt Tuesday when the pony he was riding fell with him. Dr. Manning dressed his foot yesterday morning and said that the ligaments were torn loose. He is getting along very nicely.

Chicken and hog thieves have been at work in Skidmore community the past week. Mrs. John Crist lost about 85 of her thoroughbred Plymouth chickens; Mrs. George Knepper, some young chickens, and W. E. Haynes lost 10 head of hogs.

Clarence Sharp returned to his home in Casper, Wyo., Tuesday, after visiting several days with his mother, Mrs. Miles Cook.

Mrs. Mary Wampler of Lusk, Wyo., who has been visiting for the past two months with her son Ralph, expects to return to her home the first of next week.

Burlington Junction Post

M. G. Hamilton, who has had a number of years of experience in concrete work, is to open a block factory here soon. He has ordered the machinery, and has rented the old electric light building on the Wabash right-of-way. He expects to have the plant in operation at an early date. Mr. Hamilton will manufacture building blocks, brick, fence posts.

J. W. Cochran, who has been suffering for several days with a broken shoulder blade, as the result of falling from a disc, is reported as improving.

Judge and Mrs. Wm. Woods and daughter, Miss Grace, returned the latter part of the week from an extended visit at Palm Beach and other points in Florida.

Arve Burrus of Crete, Nebraska, arrived here yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. S. Burrus, who has been quite sick.

Conception Courier.

The people of this community will be greatly shocked to learn of the death of Alois Remele, which occurred at his home in California, Friday, April 13. The funeral was held Monday, April 16. Mr. Remele had been in very poor health for the past year but his condition was not considered serious until about two months ago, when he was compelled to undergo an operation from the effetes of which he never recovered. For many years the deceased owned and operated the blacksmith shop in Clyde, but a few years ago he disposed of it and went to California to be near his children.

Julius Klaas, an old time resident of this community, but who, for the past few years, has made his home near St. Joseph, has purchased the A. F. Hyde property and will make his home here. Mr. Klaas has also purchased the McGarry bungalow on south Berry street.

Henry Steren and son, Russell, of Long Beach, Calif., came last Saturday for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Eleanor Gaa of Seattle, Wash., was called home Monday by the illness of her father, Joseph Gaa.

Clearmont News.

Ira Lewis, who has been out in Colorado for about four months, returned home Wednesday evening of last week. He says there was about four feet of snow on the ground there when he left.

Last Thursday evening about 30 of the Baptist people surprised their new pastor, Rev. Laughlin and wife, by giving them what they termed a "get acquainted party" at the parsonage.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Carver got one of its arms dislocated at the elbow last Saturday. Dr. Wiley set the elbow and it is getting along nicely.

O. D. Adkins, who has been living in Omaha for the past six months, has moved back here and is again located at his old home west of the river.

Miss Leatha Castillo of Elmo was the guest during the contests at the State Teachers College of Mrs. Lowell L. Livengood and Miss Fay Castillo.

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JUMBO WONDER No. 7951

Is a large black Jack with white points, 16 hands, 1 inch high, 32 inch ear, 8½ inch leg bone. This Jack is too well known to need further description.

TERMS—Horse, $12.50; Jack $10 to insure colt to stand and suck. Money due when colt stands; colts held for service fee. Fee due when owner parts with mare or moves out of neighborhood without my consent. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

This stallion and jack will make the season of 1923 at my farm at south side of Pickering, Mo.

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Successful Ter m at Glendale School

Paul Smith closed a successful term of school at the Glendale school, northwest of Pickering yesterday and has been re-employed as teacher for next year. Dinner in cafeteria style was enjoyed at noon and the rest of the day was spent socially. Ermina Scott received a prize for being neither tardy nor absent during the year. Other pupils who won prizes in various studies were Mary Ulmer, Florabell Ulmer, Maurice Loch, Ruby Gray, Ralph Houston, Herschel Saunders and Verlene Wilson. The following school patrons were present: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fakes, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Spurgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gumm, Mr. and Mrs. Xa Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gray, Mrs. Frank Ulmer, Mrs. Will Spangler, Mrs. Milo Torrey, Mrs. James Alexander, Misses Tressie King, Gracie Ulmer, Naomi Swaney, and Elwood Fakes and John Anderson.

R. I. Bilby Moving Cattle From Kansas

R. I. Bilby, of Quitman, one of the biggest cattle handlers in northwest Missouri and owner of thousands of acres of land in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma, is moving a large herd of 3-year-old steers from his big ranch in Wallace county, extreme western Kansas, to his farms in Nodaway county, where he will feed them on the grass. A shipment of 18 cars of these cattle were unloaded at the St. Joseph Stock Yards Thursday night enroute to Quitman. There were 703 head in the shipment which came by special train over the Union Pacific and Grand Island lines. The steers are of fairly good quality and in fit condition to put on flesh rapidly. The ranch on which these cattle were raised comprises more than 20,000 acres, lying along or near the headwaters of the Smokey Hill river. Mr. Bilby has large cattle and land holdings in Oklahoma but he devotes the most of his time to his extensive farming and cattle feeding operations in the vicinity of Quitman. During the past winter he marketed here several hundred head of short-fed Texas and Oklahoma steers after a period of feeding on his northwest Missouri farms.—St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal.

Some Mule

A few days ago. Enoch Byergo sold a mule to Matt Allison of Savannah for $300. Some good price is it not? —Guilford Times.

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Will make the season 1923 at the John Wagner farm, commonly known as George Jones' farm, 4½ miles northwest of Pickering.

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John Wagner
Phone 18Z, Pickering.

Dr. Juvenal to Kirksville for Special Work

Dr. H. R. Juvenal will leave Monday afternoon for Kirksville where he will take special work at the American School of Osteopathy for a month. Mrs. Juvenal and baby son, Joseph, will leave at the same time for a month's visit with Mrs. Juvenal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. brown of Tiro, Ohio, and Dr. Juvenal's mother in Upper Sandusky, Ohio. They expect to be gone until June 1.

Clearmont High School Classes in Contest

The last of a series of literary contests between the classes of the Clearmont High School was held in the Methodist Church at Clearmont last evening when the Freshmen met the Seniors. The contests consisted of declamation, composition and a debate. The following was the program:

Violin solo—Bernice Beam.
Composition—Mary Smith, Senior.
Reading—Jacob Porterfield, Freshman.
Composition—Ruth Matlock, Freshman.
Reading—Opal Pollock, Senior.
Vocal solo—Ruth Matlock, Freshman.
Debate, Resolved, that the United States should cancel all foreign war debts. Affirmative—Wiley Poteson and Crystal Pence, Freshmen; Negative—Allie May Johnson and Floyd Billingsley, Seniors.
Reading—Gladys Jenkins.
Instrumental solo—Marjorie Gray.
Costume number—Four girls.

The Seniors won in debate and declamation and the Freshmen won in composition. A silver loving cup was awarded the winning class. Hubert Garrett is superintendent of the schools at Clearmont.

Caught Wolves

Last Sunday George Jackson and Amos Wells of Guilford located a wolf den near the gravel pit on the Ernest Nelson farm just northeast of Guilford. Geo. secreted himself and when the old wolf came to the den, he shot her. They brought the dead wolf and six live young pups to town. The old wolf was skinned and the hide will be tanned.—Guilford Times.

A marriage license has been issued in St. Joseph to Virgil Yount of Whitesville, Mo., and Miss Mildred Ledgerwood of Maryville.

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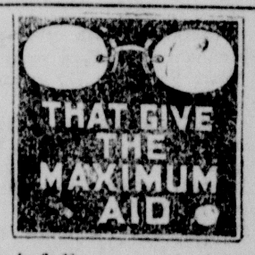

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ANNUAL MEETING OF DISTRICT NO. 3

TO BE HELD IN SKIDMORE, SUNDAY, MAY 6

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

G. B. Roseberry, President or County Association, Will Give Address

The officers of District No. 3 of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association met Monday night in Skidmore and arranged the program to be given at the convention to be held in Skidmore Sunday, May 6th, at the M. E. Church, South.

The program is as follows:

11:00—Devotional, Dr. J. O. Taylor

11:20—Instrumental solo, Verda Fray.

11:30—Address, Mrs. L. E. White, County Supt. Children's Division.

12:00—Basket dinner.

1:00—Music, Skidmore band.

1:10—Devotional, Rev. D. G. MacDougall.

1:30—Address, Miss Bertha Anderson, County Young People's Supt.

Divisional Conferences

Children's Division, Miss Bertha Hill, presiding.

Cradle Roll Superintendent, Her Task (5 minute talk), Mrs. Leta Bodle.

Need of Equipment for Beginners (5 minute talk), Mrs. Edna Logan.

Story and Picture Used in Worship Service for Primary (5 minute talk), Mrs. Dick Brooks.

Promotion Requirements for Juniors (5 minute talk), Mrs. Halfred Botkin.

Goals for District and District Superintendents (10 minute talk), Mrs. L. E. White.

Open Discussion (25 minutes).

Young Peoples Division, Miss Florence Jordan, presiding.

District Council Activities (5 minute talk), Rev. J. J. Cokely.

Mother and Daughters Week (5 minute talk) Florence Jordan.

Father and Sons Week (5 minute talk) Wayman McGinness.

Training for Service (10 minute talk) Mrs. Inez Loucks.

The Organized Class (10 minute talk) Halfred Botkin.

Open Discussion (25 minutes).

Adult Division—Mrs. Myrtle Northup, presiding

Standardizing Organized Bible Classes (5 minute talk), Mrs. W. W. Grigsby.

The Home Department at Work (10 minute talk) Mrs. F. H. Barrett.

Parent Study Classes, (10 minute talk) Mrs. Fred Peoples.

Training in Worship and Enrichment of the DevotionalLife (10 minute talk) Rev. E. F Hagee.

Open Discussion (25 minutes).

Administration Division, G. L. Owen, presiding.

Co-operation with other divisions (10 minute talk), Fred Barrett.

Better Programs (10 minute talk), W. G. Reynolds.

Preparing for Service in the Church School (10 minute talk), J. W. Weddle, Jr.

Workers Conference (5 minute talk), Elmer Johnson.

Grading and Promotion (10 minute talk), Mrs. Hazel Linville.

Open discussion (15 minutes).

Re-assemble for General Assembly

2:45—Address, G. B. Roseberry, President of Nodaway County Sunday School Association.

3:00—Business Session, election of officers, installation service, The Missouri News.

4:15—Adjournment.

The present officers of district No 3 are:

F. H. Barrett, president; Elmer Johnson, vice-president; Ray Strickler, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Bertha Hill, superintendent Children's Division; Rev. J. J. Cokely and Miss Florence Jordan, superintendents of Young Peoples Division; Mrs. Myrtle Northup, superintendent Adult and Home Division; G. L. Owens, superintendent of Administration Division.

MISSOURI SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER RESIGNS

Mexico, Mo., April 28—Sterling L. Williams, superintendent of the Young People's Work of the Missouri State Sunday School Association, announced Thursday night at the adult leadership institute that he had resigned from the State organization and would study at Boston and Harvard universities. His resignation will take effect next September.

Mrs. Cline Improving

Mrs. B. F. Cline, who is ill of influenza at St. Francis Hospital, was improved today. She underwent an operation at the hospital on April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Horn of Elmo are the parents of a son, born yesterday.

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jects during the semester in which the pupils participate in association contests.

To amend section 2 page 12 by substituting the word 'shall' for the word 'may' in line 11 of said section.

Representatives of the contesting teams may mutually agree upon one or three judges. The following plan for choosing judges is suggested. The visiting team shall submit a list of six names and the entertaining team a list of three. These names are to be arranged in order of preference and the senders in each case notified of the arrangement. The first named judge on the list of three and the first two on the list of six are to be invited. In case any judge cannot serve the next named on the list shall be invited.

No one may serve as judge on a debate who is connected in any way with an debator or who is a resident of either school district or who is a patron of either school.

Basketball

Outdoor basketball.

The Board of Control shall appoint on or before the second Saturday in September a basket ball manager for each country.

It shall be the duty of the manager to call a meeting of the representatives of the schools of the county not later than the last Saturday in September to arrange a schedule of games in outdoor basketball for both boys and girls. He shall arrange for a county tournament to be held at a convenient place in the county not later than the third week in November.

He shall certify to the Corresponding Secretary the championship boys team and the championship girls team in outdoor basketball.

Any school that is a member of the association is eligible to compete in the county tournament for fall basketball. Provided that a school that plays football shall not enter a boys team in the fall basketball county tournament.

The championship teams in each county are eligible to compete in outdoor basketball tournament to be held at the State Teachers College.

Indoor Basketball.

All schools in good standing in the Association are eligible to compete in the Annual indoor tournament held near the close of the regular basketball season.

Plan Non-Stop Flight From Coast to Coast

Washington, April 28.—Lieuts. Oakley G. Kelly and John H. MacReady of the arm air service, American record "busters," within the next week will plan another record-breaking trip by negotiating a non-stop coast to coast flight, it was learned here today.

Details of the contemplated trip include leaving Mitchell Field at New York and traveling by air to San Diego, California, a distance of 2,700 miles, necessitating an endurance of about thirty-two hours in the air.

Mrs. Colbert to Lincoln.

Mrs. G. H. Colbert left this morning for Lincoln, Neb., where she will visit her son, Philip Colbert, until Tuesday.

Young Man Held for Forging a Check

A young man about twenty-five years old and giving his name as Wade Smith was arrested last evening by City Marshal George Hise on a charge of forging a check and was turned over to the county authorities. Smith cashed a check for $5 at the Turner restaurant. The check was drawn on the First National Bank of this city and had the signature of Wade Smith.

Shortly after the check had been cashed, Frank Turner, proprietor of the restaurant, became suspicious and called up the First National Bank to find out of the check was good. When notified no such party as Wade Smith had money there, Turner took the matter up with City Marshal Hise and Smith was caught northeast of Maryville on his way to Iowa.

Smith who was traveling in a Ford car claimed he was working for a farmer by the name of Earl Hicks, living ten miles northeast of Maryville. He told the officers he had purchased his car for $75 from two men between the towns of Mexico and California, Mo. Smith later admitted he was out of money and gasoline and had to have the money.

1 Killed, Many are Injured in N. Y. Fire

New York, April 28—One person was killed, several others believed to be dying and two seriously injured in a fire early today that destroyed a three story apartment house in Brooklyn. Harvey Orr, 56, who jumped from a third story window, was instantly killed. His daughter, Pauline, 25, is dying as a result of burns. Firemen made many thrilling rescues during the fire. The fire started in a Chinese laundry on the ground floor. Property damage loss is estimated at $100,000.

Wagons to Haul Rubbish Monday

Mayor W. O. Garrett announced this morning that the postponed clean-up day had been set for Monday. If the weather permits then city wagons will carry off the rubbish and refuse of citizens providing it is placed in receptacles upon the parkway for the draymen. Mr. Garrett said the refuse must be in shape to be easily handled by one man. He also stated that all receptacles containing rubbish will be carried off unless the owner is on hand to ask that it be left when the drayman arrives.

Dr. Curl at M. E. Church, South

Dr. O. L. Curl will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church, South, tomorrow at both the morning and evening services. The preaching services begin at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Special B. Y. P. U. Program Sunday

Will Be Held Tomorrow Evening at the Regular Church Hour—Dorothy England to Preside.

The regular Sunday evening program at the First Baptist Church will be dispensed with tomorrow and a special program by the B. Y. P. U. will be given. It will be a model B. Y. P. U. program. Miss Dorothy England, president, will preside and Miss Mabel Raines will lead the meeting. Those to take part in the program are: Misses Helen Tebow, Irene Lowry, Viva Cloud, Mary Coe and Homer Ogden, James Shearer and Leroy Jones. Evelyn Raines will give a reading. Miss Alyce Allen will give a vocal solo and Miss Hattie Mae Woodward will play a piano solo. The Sunday School orchestra will also play. There will be no B. Y. P. U. services at 7 o'clock.

During the Sunday School hour the Rev. J. A. Cooper, pastor, will continue his discussion with the Men's Bible Class upon 'How We Got the Bible.'' The hundred per cent attendance contest in the Sunday School will close tomorrow. Despite the reduced attendance last Sunday on account of the bad weather, there are still a large number eligible for a perfect record if they are present tomorrow.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

PHONE NO. HANAM) 602. FARMERS 111.

TONIGHT—Alice Calhoun in "THE GIRL IN HIS ROOM." Also Jack Mulhall and Louise Lorraine in "THE CHANNEL RAIDERS." Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Monday, April 30, one day only—

Franklyn Farnum, Shorty Hamilton and Al Hart in "Crossroads"

A five reel western filled with thrills and laughs. Also Eddie Boulden in "BIG BUSINESS." Matinee at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Tuesday, May 1, one day only—

Ethel Clayton and Warner Baxter in "If I Were Queen"

Romance, adventure, intrigue, sword play—all staged amid the regal splendors of old world courts and castles. Matinee at 3:00. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00.

Clean Up Day Monday

IF WEATHER PERMITS.

Have your rubbish in sacks, barrels or boxes on the park-way ready for Monday morning. Teamsters wishing to work that day call City Hall or be at fire station ready to go at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

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MARYVILLE WINS 4 MUSIC FIRSTS

TRENTON WINS GIRLS' QUARTET AND CHORUS

AN OVERFLOW CROWD

Over 1,500 Pack Auditorium For Contests—Best Music Contest Ever Held

Music Contest Winners

Cornet solo—William Gaugh, Maryville.

Cello solo—Lucile Gaugh Maryville.

Piano solo—Hettie Mae Woodward, Maryville.

Violin solo—Ewing Poteet, St. Joseph Central.

Boys' glee club—Robidoux, St. Joseph.

Girls' glee club—Tarkio.

Chorus—Trenton.

Boys' quartet—Mound City.

Girls' quartet—Trenton.

Orchestra—Maryville.

Playing before the largest crowd that ever attended a high school event in Maryville, and probably the largest crowd ever gathered in the State Teachers College auditorium, the musicians of eleven schools in Northwest Missouri, vied with one another last night for high honors and victories. The musical contests were, without doubt, the most popular and best executed of any ever held here. The crowd, at least 1,500 that filled every available seat and chairs and benches in the back and aisle, were quite responsive to the numbers and very liberal in hand clapping although no encores were permitted. There were 396 students participating in the contests.

It is doubtful if the winners could have been better picked to please everyone. Maryville won four firsts, one without opposition, Trenton won two firsts, and St. Joseph Central, St. Joseph Robidoux, Mound City, and Tarkio, each won a first. Only four schools entered failed to take a first.

Maryville won its firsts upon piano solo, cornet solo, cello solo and orchestra. Hettie Mae Woodward, playing "Prelude in C. sharp minor," by Rachmaninoff, won first, William Gaugh, playing, "The Pearls," by Chambers, won first in the cornet solo, his sister, Lucile Gaugh, without opposition, was awarded first medal in the cello solo, "Largo" by Handel, and the Maryville High school orchestra was awarded first over Trenton.

Trenton won the decision upon the chorus with "La Cazerine," a beautiful piece and well rendered. Bethany the other chorus entered, sang, "Hail, All Hail."

The Mound City boys' quartet won over the Maryville boys with the song, "I'd Like to Go Down South Once More." The Maryville quartet, composed of Milo Vickery, Jarvis Bush, Homer Ogden and Harold Moore, sang, "The Winter Song."

Probably the outstanding contest of the evening was the violin solos. Ewing Poteet, eleven-year-old high school prodigy of St. Joseph Central won first. He played "Gigeunerweisen" by Sarasate, one of the most difficult of violin pieces and handled the instrument with ease, delicacy and clearness of tone of a master violinist. He was truly the evening's favorite with the audience receiving applause for two minutes after his playing. Poteet has studied for five and a half years. "Nothing short of wonderful," was the way Charles R. Gardner, dean of music, described his playing.

Against almost any other playing Miss Pauline Spencer of Tarkio would have won first place. Her tone, quality, and attack were exceptional and like Poteet was very popular with the audience, which gave her continued applause.

The orchestra, glee clubs and choruses were all evenly matched and to the average individual it would have been impossible to have picked the winner. Trenton had a splendid orchestra but was nosed out of first by a small margin by Maryville.

The judges for last night's contests were Miss Theresa Armitage of Boston, Massachusetts, and Miss Mabel Glenn of Kansas City. Miss Glenn is music supervisor at Kansas City and an outstanding figure in music there. Miss Armitage is well known for her arrangements for boys and girls glee club music and has probably arranged more that is being used now, than any other person. She trained the boys in Father Finn's chorus that is now singing in St. Patrick's cathedral in New York City.

Mistaken for Thief, Father Shoots Son

Kanass City, Kan., April 28.—Marvin Munsell, 16-year-old high school boy, is in a serious condition at a hospital today as a result of being shot by his father, Alvin Monsell, proprietor of a shoe shop here. The boy returned to his home early this morning after playing with his high school band at Emporia last night. The family did not expect him until today. As he attempted to enter the house through a window he was mistaken for a burglar and shot. Physicians say the boy will die.

FREE STATERS IGNORE TRUCE

CONTINUE ACTIVITIES DESPITE DE VALERA'S PROCLAMATION

DEMAND DISARMAMENT

Free State Government Silent On Irregular Chief's Order Because Not Addressed To It

Dublin, April 29—Completely ignoring the armistice proclamation Eamann De Valera yesterday ordering the the Republican irregulars to cease hostilities Monday, Free State military headquarters continued its activities today against the rebels. Free State troops in the west and south continued to round up and attack irregulars wherever they offered resistance.

Home Minister Higgins was expected to give the government's reply to De Valera's proposals this afternoon but it was announced that he was ill and could make no statement. From sem-official quarters, however, it was said that the minister's illness was "diplomatic" rather than physical.

Officials of the Free State government have not fully considered the peace negotiations because, they say, it was not addressed to the Free State government, However, they have debated the proposal informally among themselves. It is considered likely that the Free State government will demand that the irregulars lay down their arms before any permanent discussions can take place.

There were no signs of peace in this city last night. Sniping continued throughout the night. At times the crackle of rifles was broken by the exploding of bombs. So far as is known there were no casualties. A band of nine Republican irregulars surrendered to Free Staters in Cary County and three were taken at Cork. Wholesale arrests of irregulars are continuing in western counties.

Nickoli Lenine Slowly Sinking

Riga, April 29.—Nickoli Lenine is succumbing rapidly to paralysis, heart weakness and catarrah and is sinking slowly, said a report from the Russian frontier. Travelers arriving from Moscow, said that bulletins regarding the health of the communist leader, were so cautiously worded that residents of Moscow were uncertain as to his real condition.

Moscow, April 29.—A bulletin issued by the soviet government today concerning the condition of Nickoli Lenine, said that his condition remained unchanged.

Mrs. J. C. Buntin and daughter, Doris, of Rushville, Mo., visited yesterday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Parrish of Quitman.

PATRICK IS AGAIN ASSOCIATION HEAD

PRESIDENT AND VICE-PRESIDENT RE-ELECTED TODAY

AMENDMENTS ARE PASSED

Several Constitutional Changes Made —Eligibility Ruling in Basket Ball Interpreted Association Officers

F. E. Patrick, Bethany, President.

T. O. Moles, Chillicothe, Vice-president.

L. E. Ziegler, Maryville, Secretary.

Bert Cooper, Maryville, Corresponding Secretary.

O. G. Sanford, Board of Control member, 3-year term.

James R. Kerr, Chillicothe and U. L. Riley, Maitland, Hold-over board members.

The election of officers for the ensuing year, adoption of several amendments to the constitution and an interpretation of one elegibility ruling, constituted the important work done this morning at the annual business meeting of the Northwest Missouri High School Association. Patrick and Moles, as president and vice-president respectively, were re-elected.

In intrepretation of the ruling in regard to elegibility of players the following was drawn up: A town team shall not be construed to mean a team from a nationally known social order or religious organization when they are members in good standing of such organization, and under the management of an adult member of that organization, who must perform the duties of section 6 of the by-laws pertaining to the manager or faculty substitute. This was passed particularly to govern basketball.

The following amendments to the constitution were adopted.

To amend section 2, article 111 to read—

Any first second or third class high school of the Maryville State Teachers College district may become a member of the Association for a period of one year upon the payment of a fee of three dollars. Provided however, that a penalty of 50 cents per month, or fraction thereof, will be levied if the three dollar fee is not paid on or before October 15 of each year.

To strike out section 7 page 6, pertains to notice of eligibility.

To amend section 8 page 7 so as to read. It shall be the duty of the association to report to the Corresponding Secretary at the close of each athletic season on a form provided by the association, a complete list, certified to by the coach, of all players used at any time during that season in that sport or activity.

To amend clause 'e' page 8 under section 9 to read: Any pupil who shall change from a school of which he is a resident student to any other school except upon change of parent or guardian shall be ineligible to compete in the contests of the Association for a period of one year.

To amend section 9 page 7 by adding clause 'F'. A student who enters school later than the third week of a semester shall be ineligible to compete in contests during that semester.

To clause 'a' under section 9 page 7. All student contestants shall be regular members of the high school in good standing, shall have made passing grades in each of three full and regular subjects the last semester such pupil was enrolled in school and shall be making passing grades in each of three full and regular sub-

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Democrat-Forum Want Ads Brings Results

A few examples from this week's advertising to show it.

In Wednesday's issue of The Democrat-Forum a lady advertised that she had a hen and 36 chicks for sale. Tihs lady told us that she sold them before 5 o'clock that same evening.

Another lady conveyed the news to Democrat-Forum readers through the Want Ad department that she had apples for sale. Before supper time that same evening she called to tell us that she had sold a nice order of apples.

Maryville Is a Town of Lots of Spirit

The following is from the DeKalb County Herald of Maysville:

There are so many ways in which a town can be distinguished, if it just has the snap, the spunk, the spirit, the vision. Maryville, the county seat of Nodaway County, is a town of lots of spirit. Now comes someone with a nice vision and wants to make Maryville "the City of Nasturtiums." The ambition is worth while.

I went through Natchez, Mississippi, one time, a fine, pretty town on the banks of the Mississippi, I do not remember any great sight about its detailed life and business, but I do remember that it was decked with magnolia blossoms. Pretty flowers add to the tone, elegance and beauty of a town.

Maryville has a right to be patted on the back and the ideal, the make Maryville known as "the City of Nasturtiums," is all right.

EXCELSIOR SPRINGS LITERARY WINNERS

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CENTRAL, DECLAMATION

Finals in These Contests Held This Morning—Debate Decision Was Unanimous.

Literary Contest Winners.

Declamation—Radiance Zollinger, St. Joe Central, first; Bernice Prugh, Grant City, second; Ellen Sewell, Skidmore, third; Hope McNulty, Tarkio, fourth.

Oratory—Albert Shoemaker, Excelsior Springs, first; Eugene McCracken, Trenton, second; Tom Hoehn, St. Jo Central, third; Arthur Myers, Savannah, fourth.

Extemporaneous Speaking — Harold Roberts, Excelsior Springs, first; Halkaline Kirk, Plattsburg second.

Debate—Excelsior Springs won over Chula.

Essay Contest—Sallie Childers, McFall, first; Cornelia Ensign, Cameron, second.

The finals in extemporaneous speaking, and in debating were held yesterday afternoon, after the music preliminaries were over. In extemporaneous speaking, Harold Roberts of Excelsior Springs won first, and Miss Halkaline Kirk of Plattsburg was second.

By an unanimous decision of the judges, Excelsior Springs won over Chula. The winning team took the negative side, on the question of government ownership of the coal mines. The Excelsior Springs team consisted of Ralph Smith and Harold Roberts. The members of the Chula team were: Margaret Carlyle and Helen Owen.

In the essay contest, Sallie Childers of McFall won first, and Cornelia Ensign of Cameron was second.

The finals in declamation and oration were held this morning in the college auditorium. Four boys contested against each other in the oration, and four girls in the declamation. The following are the results:

Declamation—Miss Radiance Zollinger of St. Joseph Central, first. Subject, "A Few Bars in the Key of G."

Miss Bernice Prugh of Grant City, second. Subject, "The Old Stage Coach."

Miss Ellen Sewell of Skidmore, third. Subject, "Miracle Mary."

Miss Hope McNulty of Tarkio, fourth. Subject, "Gavrouch, from Les Miserables."

Oration—Albert Shoemaker of Excelsior Springs, first. Subject, "The New South."

Eugene McCracken of Trenton, second. Subject, "Why Are We at War?"

Tom Hoehn of St. Joe Central. Subject, "A Plea for Cuba." Arthur Myers of Savannah, fourth. Subject, "Patrick Henry's Oration Against British Oppression."

Miss Marie Faulhaber and Miss Clara Minnie, both of Peru State Normal, and Mr. C. F. Martin of Warrensburg State Teachers College acted as judges in all of the events.

Miss Lillian R. James and Miss Letha Lowen came last night from St. Joseph to spend the week end with the former's parents, Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James. Miss James and Miss Lowen both teach in the Lafayette High School in St. Joseph.

CENTRAL AND M'FALL LEADING; SMITH BREAKS HALF RECORD

RECORD BREAKING CROWD AND IDEAL WEATHER.

MARYVILLE IS SECOND

Central Has 28¼, Maryville 19½, McFall Has 13½—Liberty Not Here.

Points Scored by Schools up to Press Time.

CLASS A.

13 events out of 14.

Central	28¼
Maryville	19½
Trenton	15¾
Albany	14½
Lafayette, St. Joseph	10½
Maysville	10¼
Bethany	10¼
Mound City	10
Savannah	8
Braymer	8
Cameron	3
St. Joseph Benton	3
Chillicothe	1

CLASS B.

McFall	13½
Grandview	13
Maitland	12
Plattsburg	10
Jameson	9
Rock Port	7
New Point	5½
Skidmore	5
Darlington	5
Harden	5
Easton	4
Tarkio	4
Hopkins	3
Ravenwood	3
Barnard	3
Ridgeway	2
Graham	2
Fortescue	2
Clearmont	2

With ideal weather, a record-breaking crowd, a good track and fine school rivalry, the Fourteenth Annual Track Meet and Field Events of the Northwest Missouri High School Association got underway promptly at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the State Teachers College athletic field.

Every record that has been hung up at past meets were in danger today. Some of them are already things of the past and others remained by close margins or a turn of luck.

The record of Chauncey Saville of 2 minutes, 9 4-5 seconds in the half mile, made in 1914, fell before Smith of Maryville, who set a record of two minutes and 9 seconds. In class B of this event, Sweat of Grandview even lowered Smith's time and made the two laps in 2 minutes and 4 seconds.

Holmberg of Plattsburg in class B broke the high hurdle record, making the sticks in 16 and 4-5 seconds, but the record couldn't stand because one too many hurdles were knocked down.

Liberty High School, doped by many fans to win the class A cup failed to show up.

In the class A high hurdles, R. Sheldon and M. Sheldon, both of Albany, won first and second respectively.

The results:

100 Yard Dash.

Class A—Botsford, Lafayette, first; Jackson, Central, second; Hamilton, Trenton, third; O'Banion, Maryville, fourth. Time, 10:4.

Class B—Caldwell, Jameson, first, Settle, Rock oPrt, second; Ungles, Maitland, third; Davis, Hopkins, 4th.

120 Yard High Hurdles.

Class A—R. Sheldon, Albany, first; M. Sheldon, Albany, second; Stark, Bethany, third; Roelofson, Maryville, fourth. Time, 18.

Class B—Holmberg, Plattsburg, first; Deatz, Rock Port, second; Joy, Ravenwood, third; Nichols, McFall, fourth. Time 16:4.

220 Yard Dash.

Class A—Cockayne, Maryville, first; Buster, Trenton, second; Jackson, Central, third; Buse, Maysville, fourth. Time, 24:3.

Class B—Ungles, Maitland, first; Nichols, McFall, second; Caldwell, Jameson, third; Settle, Rock Port, 4th. Time 24.1.

Half Mile Run.

Class A—Smith, Maryville, first; Bangs, Cameron, second; Taylor, Mound City, third; Steele, Chillicothe, fourth. Time, 2:9.

Class B—Sweat, Grandview, first; Arrasmith, Ridgeway, second; Warren, Graham, third; McAdams, Tarkio, 4th. Time, 2.4.

Running Broad Jump.

Class A—Stuber, St. Joseph Central, first; Botsford, Lafayette, second; Chapman, Benton, third; Hamilton, Trenton, fourth. Distance, 19 feet, 11 3-4 inches.

Class B—Minnick, Harden, first; Dannar, McFall, second; Caldwell, Jameson, third; Goforth, Barnard, 4th. Distance, 19 feet, 7 inches.

Standing Broad Jump

Class A—Jackson, St. Joseph Central, first; Field, Mound City, second; Furst, Savannah, third; Brissey, Maysville, fourth. Distance, 9 ft. 73 inches.

Class B—Croswhite, Darlington, first; McCain, Easton, second; Goforth, Barnard, third; Davis, Hopkins, fourth. Distance, 9 ft. 11 inches.

Shot Put

Class A—Hiatt, Bethany, first; Wooden, Braymer, second; Kinnaman Central, third; Schaaf, Central, fourth. Distance, 41 ft. 4 inches.

Class B—Brown, Grandview, first; McCoy, New Hampton, second; Smith Fortescue, third, J. Joy, Ravenwood, fourth. Distance, 42 ft. 3½ inches.

Discus Throw

Class A—Wooden, Braymer, First; Hiatt, Bethany, second; Schaaf, Central, third; Kinnaman, Central, fourth. Distance 112 ft. 3 inches.

Class B—Millon, Rock Port, first; Minneck, Harden, second; McCoy, New Hampton, third; Tripp, Ridgeway, fourth. Distance, 106 ft. ½ inch.

220 Yard Low Hurdles

Class A—Hammons, Trenton, first; Bonnette, Maysville, second; Aley, Maryville, and Sheldon, Albany tied for third. Time 28 flat.

Class B—Holmberg, Plattsburg, first; Nichols, McFall, second; York, New Hampton, third; Persinyor, McFall and Fenimore, New Hampton, tied for fourth. Time 28:3.

Pole Vault

Class A—Stauber, Central, and Schmitt, Savannah, tied for first; Young, Benton, second; Davis, Trenton, third; Roelofson, Maryville, fourth.

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Maryville Girls Win Track Meet

Trenton Second — Boyer, Trenton High Point Girl—New, Maryville Makes 25 Points

How They Placed:

Maryville, 35.

Trenton, 31.

McFall, 15 1-3.

Barnard, 6.

Parnell, 5½.

Hopkins, 4½.

King City, 4.

Oregon, 3.

Plattsburg, 2½.

Ridgeway, 2.

Jameson, 1.

Boyer, Trenton, high point winner with 28. New, Maryville, second with 25 points.

The following are results after press time yesterday:

Javelin Throw—Boyer, Trenton, 1st; Jameson, McFall, 2nd; W. Todd, Trenton, 3rd; O'Banion, Maryville, 4th. Distance 60 feet, 10 inches.

Running Broad Jump—Mildred New, Maryville, 1st; Casey, King City, 2nd; O'Banion, Maryville, 3rd; McMasters, Hopkins, 4th. Distance, 13 feet, 3 inches.

Hop, Step and Jump—Boyer, Trenton, 1st; O'Banion, Maryville, 2nd; R. Gromer, McFall, 3rd; Copeland, King City, 4th. Distance 28 feet, 8 inches.

Standing High Jump—Boyer, Trenton, 1st; Robinett, Barnard, 2nd; Jones, Parnell, 3rd; New, Maryville, 4th. Height 3 feet, 1 inch.

Running High Jump—New, Maryville, 1st; Jones, Parnell and Ramsey, Hopkins, tied for 2nd; Jameson, McFall, 3rd; Porter, Plattsburg, 4th; O'Banion, Maryville, fifth. Record, 4 feet, one inch.

Girl tracksters, Mildred New and assistants of the Maryville High School won the trophy cup for first place in the first annual girls' track meet held at the College yesterday afternoon. Maryville had 35 points and Trenton was runner-up with 31 points. Boyer of Trenton, individual point winner, made 28 of Trenton's 31 points.

The events were staged with great success and bid fair to be one of the outstanding contests in a few years. A good crowd was on hand to see the girls perform despite the uncertainty of the weather. Good records were made in most all events and some will probably remain records for several years.

MAYSVILLE AND BRAYMER WIN

IN AGRICULTURAL CONTESTS FOR CLASS A SCHOOLS

DAVIS RANKS HIGHEST

First in Class A—Maysville Boys Second—Stock Judges Visit Farms

Maysville, Braymer and McFall carried off most of the honors in the stock judging and grain judging contests at the College. McFall in class B won both stock judging and grain raising, likewise winning a first, second and third in individual honors. Maysville took first place in class A grain judging and Braymer took first in live stock judging.

Each contest was divided in two classes. Class A and class B. Class A was open to schools that maintained a vocational agriculture department. Class B was open to school not having any department in agriculture. Each school was represented by a team, to judge the grain and stock. The team that won in each class, in each contest, received a cup. Also, the students making the highest number of points received medals.

Grain Judging.

In class A, Maysville won first with 5235 points. Bethany and Ridgeway had to be content with second and third places, respectively. Bethany scored 5215 points and Ridgeway scored 5180 points. As to individual points, George Frank of Bethany scored first with 1800 points.

J. L. Grimes of Maysville secured second place with 1785 points, and Herbert Smith of Bethany got third, scoring 1780 points.

In class B, McFall was first, Converse second, and Sheridan third. They scored 5035, 4775 and 4815, and 4775 respectively. Mabel Albright of McFall was first with 1740 points, in the individuals. Hugh Brown of Converse was second with 1660. Dora Jordan of McFall, and Willis King of Sheridan tied for the third position, with 1650 points.

Live Stock Judging.

In class A live stock judging, Braymer pulled down first place with 2214 points to their credit. Maysville was second with 2113, and Gallatin third, with 2089 points. Joe Davis of Braymer was first, in the individuals, with 786. Forrest Ellis and Orville Wright, both of Maysville, were second and third. They scored 742 and 730 points respectively.

Class B. Hopkins first, McFall second, and Converse third. They scored 2065, 1981 and 1812 points respectively. As to individual contest in class B, Teddy Baldwin of Hopkins was first with 722 points to his credit. Bertha Chapman of McFall was second with a score of 697, and Roy Elam of the same town, was third with 685 points.

In the stock judging contests, the teams were taken to the F. P. Robinson, Bellows Brothers and J. T. Wells farms to judge the stock at these different places. W. W. Stanfield and W. H. Burr of the College graded the papers, that were handed in by the contestants. E. A. Trowbridge of the University of Missouri, judged these contests.

St. Joseph Bandits Get $3,000 Payroll

St. Joseph, April 28—Five bandits armed and masked today held up the cashier of the McCord-Norton Shoe Company here and escaped with $3,000 payroll of the concern.

Gary Booze Ring Denied New Trial

Indianapolis, April 28—Judge Ferdinand Geiger in the federal court here today denied the motions for new trial in cases of fifty-two out of fifty-five Gary and Lake County, Indiana persons under conviction for conspiracy to violate federal liquor laws. Three were granted a new trial.

Miss Evelyn Freeman of St. Joseph visited at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. C. James on South Main street Thursday and Friday. Miss Freeman is a nurse at Ensworth Hospital.

THE WEATHER.

Fair in the north, unsettled in the south portion to-night; Sunday probably fair, somewhat warmer in the afternoon.

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LARGEST CIRCULATION IN NODAWAY COUNTY

Announcement is made that the religions daily will be resurrected in Chicago at an early date. The effort was made a year or so ago to establish such a paper but it was suspended after some months for lack of funds. The Christian Science Monitor is a high grade, clean daily newspaper with criminal and sensational news eliminated. There is no reason why other great churches of the country could not establish a similar paper if it is conducted along broad lines and has money enough behind it. Great newspapers can be founded along too narrow lines, whether they be political or religious, and they can not be kept alive without adequate financial backing. Great journals can not be founded in this way on sentiment or enthusiasm. It takes enthusiasm, energy, brains and cold cash and plenty of all.

Cheap fares fixed by law have made the taxi cab business in New York so profitable that the city is now threatening to limit the number of taxis in order to prevent the streets from becoming impassable. This is a result that may well be studied in this day of ever increasing costs. In many cities it costs around ten cent to ride on a street car with all its delays and difficulties and the taxi is much quicker, more comfortable and more exclusive.

A significant political change has occurred in the Thirty-seventh Senatorial District of Iowa in the recent election of William Schmedika, a farmer and a Democrat to the state senate. The district was carried by the republicans in 1920 by a majority of 11,000 and they again carried it last fall by a majority of 8,000 for Governor Kendall. Dissatisfaction with both national and state administrations is given as the cause of the change.

Along with the other King Tut creations is the King Tut strut. It can't be any worse than some of the other struts that have been imposed upon us.

A lot of little Governor boomlets are being born but most of them seem to be waiting to hear from Fred Gardner before they take themselves seriously.

State senators who need adding machines and typewriters should make arrangements to borrow them from their neighbors in their home towns.

One "dead one" counts for as much as another in cemeteries but nowhere else in this world.

ON TRIAL FOR HIS LIFE

Russian soviet authorities announce that they will soon place on trial Tikhon, patriarch of all Russia, and the world fears he will meet the fate of Vicar General Butchkavich, who was convicted of counter-revolutionary activities and executed. Besides being charged with general "opposition to the soviet government," Tikhon is accused of resisting the sequestration of church property.

Marriage licenses were issued today to Dewey B. Leonard of Burlington Junction and Elizabeth L. Scrinsher of Elmo, and Luvoyd Page, colored, Maryville and Bertha Gunn, colored, Maryville.

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CENTRAL AND M'FALL LEADING

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440 Yard Dash.

Class A—Willoughby, Maryville, 1st; Ends, Trenton, 2nd; LaVan, Savannah, 3rd; Bickel, Albany, 4th. Time, 57 flat.

Class B—Unbles, Maitland, first; Woods, Tarkio, second; Smith, Ridgeway, third; Allgaier, Easton, fourth. Time, 54:4.

Hop, Step and Jump.

Class A—Grimes, Maysville, first; Stuber, Central, second; M. Sheldon, Albany, third; R. Sheldon, Albany, fourth. Distance, 40 feet, 11 inches.

Class B—Peoples, Skidmore, first; Brown, Grandview, second; Behm, Clearmont, third; Davis, Hopkins, fourth. Distance, 43 ft. 3 inches.

Running High Jump.

Class A—Price, Mound City, first; Parman, Albany and Botsford, Lafayette, second; Stark, Bethany, Grooms, Maysville; Davis, Trenton; Stuber, Central, tied for third and fourth places.

FELT THE BISHOP WAS SAFE

Woman's Apprehensions Disappeared With Her Increasing Confidence in the Small Boy.

When Phillips Brooks, the great "low church" bishop of Massachusetts, made his visitation at the Church of the Advent, Boston, celebrated for its elaborate ritual, the rector considerately inquired if the bishop would like the usual service simplified.

"Oh, no," was the reply. "Turn everything on!"

A young but well-trained acolyte was told to attend the bishop, and before the towering figure paced, with impressive dignity, the small red-cassocked lad.

A lady, who knew and admired Phillips Brooks, but knew little of ritual, regarded the situation at first with anxious face, but soon became serene. On leaving the church after service, she remarked:

"In the beginning I was dreadfully afraid the bishop would not know where to go or what to do, but I felt perfectly safe about him when I saw that little boy knew a great deal more about it all than the bishop did, and was taking good care of him."—Harper's Magazine.

An Inventor at Seventeen.

One Saturday morning, more than 60 years ago, writes Floyd L. Darrow in St. Nicholas Magazine, a man and a boy might have been observed standing over a piece of pipe in a machine shop in Schenectady, N. Y. The man was giving instructions to his fourteen-year-old son, George Westinghouse, Jr., as to how he wished this pipe to be cut into pieces of a certain length. George had wanted to go on a hike, with some other boys, but his father, a somewhat stern man, was assigning a task which, he assured the lad, would require all his spare time for several days to come. While his father had been talking, the boy had been thinking out a scheme to escape this drudgery. In a few hours he had rigged up a combination of tools which, when attached to a power machine, automatically fed the pipe and cut it into the proper lengths.

In this youthful incident we have the first glimpse of the wonderful inventive genius of one of the most extraordinary men that America has ever produced—George Westinghouse.

History of Vaccination.

Smallpox vaccination, generally regarded as a modern practice, dates back more than 2,000 years, according to Dr. W. G. McCoy, director of the Hygenic Laboratory of the United States Public Health service. "When the ancients noticed that recovery from the first attack gave immunity from others," says Doctor McCoy, "they began inoculating their fellows; first by exposing well persons to others ill with the disease and later by inoculation."

Jenner, who is generally conceded to have been the father of vaccination for smallpox with cowpox, only "put vaccination on a rock where it would be immovable," explains Doctor McCoy. Records show that years before Jenner's time men had been vaccinated with cowpox and then with smallpox to demonstrate their immunity.

Rachel's Tomb Jewish Shrine.

Rachel's tomb, about a mile from Bethlehem, is a sacred shrine of the Jews. It is the only spot of Old Testament interest to which the Jews have exclusive rights, and the chief rabbi of Jerusalem has the key to it. They assemble there from time to time for prayer. They do the same at Hebron, where the patriarchs are buried, but in general they do not have ready access to the graves of their forefathers. The Moslems refuse this privilege to them.

Wanted More Information.

The medical officer on duty in the eye, ear and throat department of one of the great London hospitals was about to examine a man who complained of severe pain.

"Now, then, my friend, is it this ear that's causing the trouble?" he asked.

"This 'ere what?" inquired the patient.

THE PINK SHELL

By JANE GORDON

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PATIENCE looked out of her little bedroom window far across the blue lake.

There had been so few idle hours in Patience's life. If her parents, at her naming, could have foreseen their daughter's unselfish future they could not have named her more appropriately. This winter had called especially for that virtue. Uncle Thomas, growing querulous in his aged affliction, had taxed even his faithful piece's patience, while Aunt Tilly—well, Aunt Tilly was always just her tyrannical self.

Patience, in the safe quiet of her small room, had daringly lined her dark cape with cheery red. She intended to keep the red side hidden from her aunt's watchful eyes. So today, as she fastened its collar about her throat, her tired blue eyes brightened at the glow the red lining gave to her pale cheeks. She fluffed out a little of the soft brown hair that was streaked with silvery strands. The rock that she knew, against the protecting cliff, was warm with sunshine. Patience let the lake breeze lift her waving hair, so that a gold-brown curl tossed close to a glinting silvery one; then, her gaze half on her sewing and half on the scarlet of her wrap thrown back at the shoulder, she gave herself to pleasant dreams and happy memories.

There was one never-fading memory glowing fresh each springtime, for this memory was the one approach to romance that she, in her buried life, had known. Such a poor little excuse of a romance living on so brightly in its glamour. On just such a day as this, years ago, Patience, in a new cotton frock, had sat on this same rock by her sea. And a red-cheeked young sailor had stopped for a moment to ask direction to a shore boarding house. He was to have but a few hours' leave, this young sailor, and it was his first stopping. And with an eager, unusual impulsiveness, Patience had offered to him the hospitality of her mother's home. Mother had been so understanding, so kindly serving. She had welcomed the lad as she would have wished others to have cared for her own—and Richard Dawn was grateful.

It was a happy dinner party—just the three around the white kitchen table—the young man's dark, steady eyes continually on the girl's face—Patience, in her pink frock, with pinker cheeks to match it, listening, her own eyes wide in their first hero worship, to his stories of adventure. She had walked with him afterward, very slowly through the afternoon sunshine, down to this same sheltered rock, where they had lingered in their goodbys. Then he sailed away. Only that.

But Patience, through all the stifled years, had not forgotten. Neither had she been unhappy. He had left with her a little pink shell. "It is my talisman," he told her. Never through stormy waters, or in far dangerous places had he been separated from that pink shell. Now he gave it to her—his charm.

His possession of the pink shell was part of one of the tales of adventure that had widened the young girl's eyes in hero worship. She kept it still, carefully, in a small blue jewel case on the dresser in her room, facing the lake. And surely, to her, it had been charm-evoking in trying hours—one past hour of happiness.

The wind lifted her scarlet-lined cape, flaunting its color like a flag; the wind, too, whipped scarlet color into her wan cheeks. Patience lifted her eyes to see a man standing before her—a sailor, undoubtedly.

"If you please," he said, "could you direct me to a near boarding place, or does this isolated spot boast a hotel?"

Patience arose, trembling, staring. You see, she had never forgotten, and she was untaught in the school of dissembling. The big, smiling man misunderstood her hesitation.

"Your red cape sort of flagged me," he laughingly explained. "Set you out, as it were, from the rest of the folks on the beach—so I came straight to you for information."

Patience put up her hand with a characteristic gesture, then she, too, smiled.

If Richard Dawn of the past had forgotten, then she must feign to forget an episode. Only an episode after all, and the world is wide. The man had traveled and—lived. She had stayed in the cove by the big rock—and dreamed.

"I think," she faltered, "that my aunt will serve you dinner if you wish." She arose, leading the way.

If Richard—if this big, pleasant man of the sea wished to remain over night, her own little room might be arranged for his occupancy; she could sleep on the couch in the lower hall, as she had done many times before.

Dawn, coming down to breakfast the following morning, told her that he had made the discovery. "I remembered you," he said gravely, "when you smiled yesterday—when you touched your hair. Queer how a man can remember small things like that—through years—across a world."

Travel had absorbed him—travel and ambition. But now Richard Dawn was back, and he remembered.

It was not very long after when Patience, Captain Dawn's wife, stood on the deck of his steamer, that he showed to her a small pink shell. "When I saw this on the dresser in the room that you gave me I knew," he told her, "that I dared hope still for my lucky charm to bring me happiness."

GIFT TO WOMAN'S PARTY

Miss Alice Paul, leader of the National Woman's party, photographed with Edith Ogden Heidel's statue, the "Thinking Woman," which was recently presented to the Woman's party to be the first work of art in an art gallery at the party headquarters in Washington. Miss Heidel was a pupil of St. Gaudens.

Returns From Jeff. City.

Leslie G. Somerville returned last evening from Jefferson City, where he attended a meeting of the county superintendents of the state. It was the annual meeting of the county superintendents and problems confronting these school men were discussed.

Harding to Start St. Joseph Event

St. Joseph, Mo., April 28.—President Harding will be the official starter of the Pony Express from St. Joseph to San Francisco on August 26, according to word received here from Washington today.

President Harding will start the run by pressing a button at the national capital. Electricity will shoot through nearly 1,500 miles of wire and touch off the signal at St. Joseph, and the pony express riders wil start the 1,950 mile relay run to the Pacific coast.

A team from the remount division of the army will be entered in the run. Mr. Fay was assured by war department officials upon whom he called this afternoon.

The pony express race also will be a memorial to Mark Twain and an observance of the seventy-fifth anniversary of the discovery of gold in California. St. Joseph, Denver, Salt Lake City, Reno and Sacramento, Cal., are some of the cities along the route of the race which will stage celebrations. The run will be made in sixty-mile relays.

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St. Joe Wins in Typewriting Test

Papers of 3 Contests Not Graded Yet —Robidoux First and Second In Advacned Typewriting

In the commercial contests which were held this morning, only one set o fpapers had been finished by press time. Nellie Rutter of Robidoux, St. Joseph, with a speed of 59 4-15 words per minute won first in advanced typewriting. Elva O'Neal of the same school, with a speed of 57 9-15 words won second. Esther Fietzen of St. Joseph Benton placed third with a speed of 57 3-15 words.

The commercial contests that have not yet been awarded are Junior typewriting, Junior shorthand and advanced shorthand. T. H. Angora, "speed demon" from the Underwood Company judged the contests and gave some very interesting demonstrations of speed this morning.

To Organize Epworth League

T. H. Leet, superintendent of the M. E. Church, South, Sunday School, has called a meeting of young people for 6:30 o'clock Sunday evening at the church. The meeting is for the purpose of organizing an Epworth League and all young people between the ages of twelve and thirt yare expected to be present.

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M. H. S. Girls Win in Tennis Doubles

Central Wins Boys' Doubles and Bethany Not Sharks Wins In Mixed Doubles

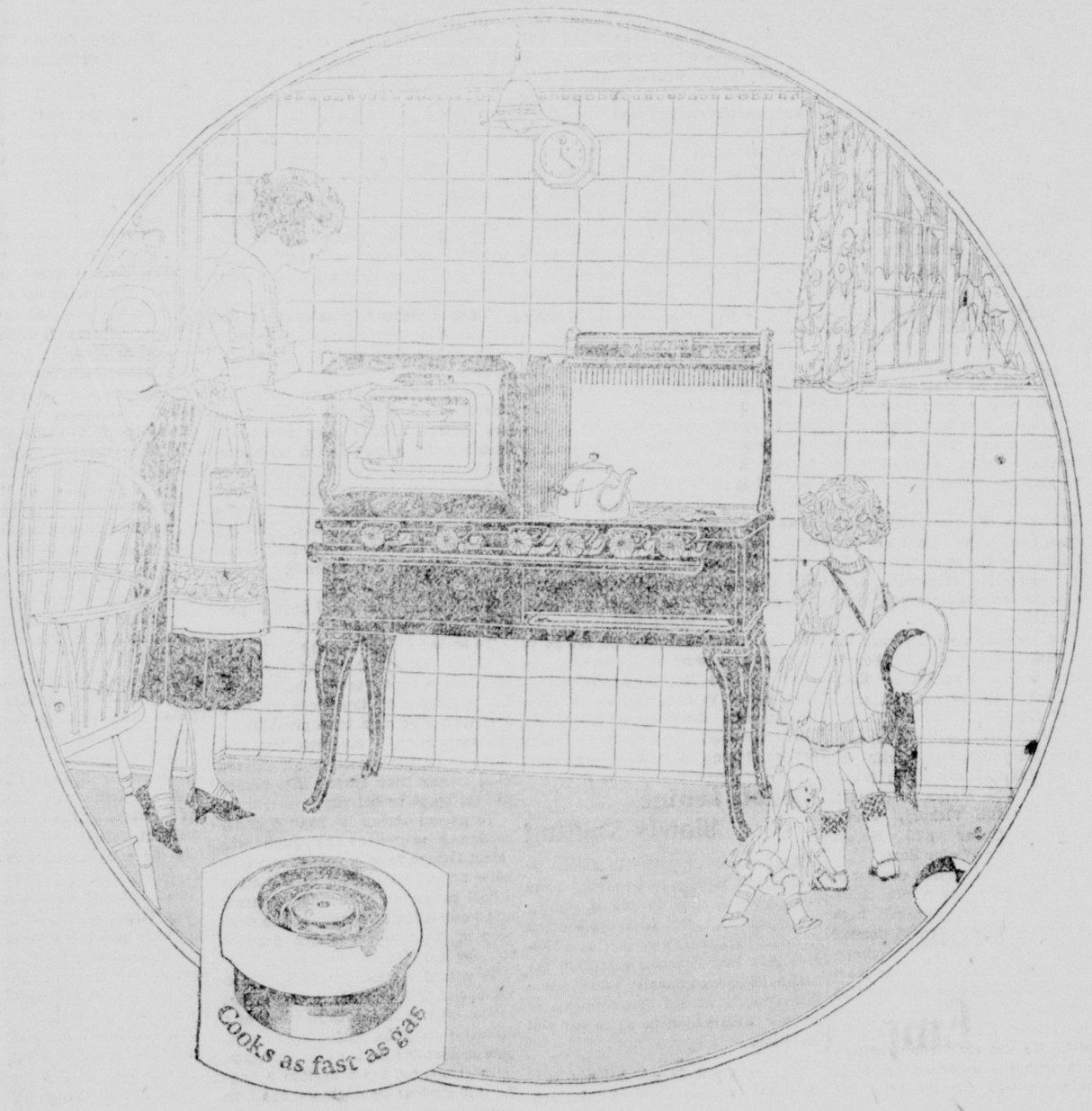
In the last matches of the tennis tournament not completed yesterday by press time, St. Joseph Central won the boys' doubles and Maryville won the girls doubles. The net pair of the Bethany High School won the mixed doubles from the St. Joseph Central pair. Hoehn and Reents formed the winning boys' teams from Central winning in straight sets, 8-10; 6-3. Chandler and Cook formed the winning Maryville team in the girls' doubles and Behoma Lingle and Vern Miller of Bethany played to victory in the mixed doubles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Miller in Runaway

While driving north on South Buchanan street about 1 o'clock this afternoon Harve Miller lost control of his horse when it became fractious. The horse ran three block on Buchanan street and swerved around the corner at West Cooper street before being stopped. Mr. Miller was accompanied by his wife and fortunately both escaped injury. The single buggy was badly damaged the spokes of the two front wheels and one back wheel being broken to splinters.

On Business Trip to Texas

W. C. Pierce, George Robb Ellison, Paul Sisson and T. A. Cummins left this afternoon on a business trip to Comanche, Tex. They expect to be gone about ten days.



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Society

Shower for Mrs. Appleby

Miss Gertrude Wright gave a miscellaneous shower last night for Mrs. D. A. Appleby, who was recently married, at Fairacres. The evening was spent in bridge after which refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by her sister, Miss Marie Wright, and Miss Virginia Rose. The guests were Mrs. R. C. Bohart, Mrs. Lora Meacham, Miss Gertrude Condon, Miss Verna Kennedy, Miss Grace Langan, Miss Viva Cloud, Miss Virginia Rose and the guest of honor.

For Tarkio Guests

Mrs. Clifford M. Hull entertained with two tables of bridge yesterday afternoon at her home on East Fifth street, complimentary to her guests, Mrs. L. H. Sommers and Mrs. Gene Wanger of Tarkio. Additional guests were Mrs. E. C. Braniger, Mrs. Martin Lewis, Jr., Mrs. Forrest Gillam, Mrs. Byron Costello and Mrs. George Sillers. Mrs. Sommers and Mrs. Wanger who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hull since Wednesday, returned to Tarkio last night.

Celebrate 87th Birthday

A number of neighbors and friends gathered at teh home of Mrs. Mary C. Johnson Thursday to celebrate her eighty-seventh birthday anniversary. "Grandma" Johnson, as she is familiarly known in the neighborhood is one of the pioneers of the vicinity, having lived in and near Graham for fifty years. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Talbott and son, Archie, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Robertson and daughter, Virginia, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ager and daughter, Josephine, Mr. and Mrs. Bernice McNeal, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Yahrmark and daughter, Neva, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Maurer, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Mill Couch, Mr. and Mrs Frank Schooler and son, Charles, Mrs. Laura Linck and daughter, Ola Craig, Dorothy Murphy, Richard Maurer and Arthur Daugherty.

King-Hein Wedding.

The Immaculate Conception Church at Conception was the scene of a pretty wedding Tuesday morning, when Miss Helen M. King, third daughter of Mrs. Lewis King, became the bride of George P. Hein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hein of Hamburg, Ia. The ceremony was performed at 8 o'clock by the Rev. Father Placid. The bride wore a gown of white satin and her veil was held with a bridal wreath. She carried an arm bouquet of bride roses and ferns. Miss Rose King, sister of the bride, as bridesmaid, wore a gown of light blue crepe de chine with hat to correspond and her flowers were pink carnations and sweet peas. Carl Hein attended his brother as best man. At noon a wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride's mother near Stanberry for relatives and friends of the couple. The rooms were decorated with cut flowers and the color scheme in light blue and white was carried out.

Out-of-town guests were Mrs. Jake Hein of Hamburg, Ia., mother of the bridegroom; John Hein, Hamburg, Ia.; Conrad Kauth, Omaha; Miss Katie Maher, Fulton, Mo.; Joseph Leifgen and Fred Steffer, New Cambria, Mo.; Mrs. Gay Gross, Mountain Grove, Mo.; and Raymond King of Kansas City, Kan.

Mr. Hein and his bride will be at home on the Hein farm near Hamburg, Iowa.

To P. E. O. Convention

Miss Carrie Hopkins and Miss Fannie Hope will leave Monday afternoon for Springfield, Mo., where they will attend the annual convention of the P. E. O. to be held May 1 to 4 as delegates from the local chapter. They will be joined in Kansas City by Mrs. Fred Monroe of Hopkins who is a delegate to the convention from Chapter K.

May Day Supper.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will give a May Day supper at 6:30 o'clock Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. White on North Mulberry street. A program and social time will follow the supper.

Lawrence Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lawrence are entertaining the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lawrence of Cameron and Mrs. V. B. Sheldon and son, V. B. Jr., of Maysville, who came Thursday night. Mr Sheldon will join his family in Maryville tonight. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence will be hosts at a dinner party tomorrow at the Girls' Residence Hall of the College in honor of their guests. Mr. Lawrence was representative in congress from the third district during the last two years.

Sunday Services at Presbyterian Church

The Sunday evening service at the Presbyterian Church at 7:30, will consist of half an hour of music and a twenty minute sermon on "There Is A God."

Mr. Richman, the music director, has announced that the choir will sing "Thou Who Art Enthroned Above" by Arnold, and "Fairest Lord Jesus" a Silesian Folk Song. The solo "The Living God" by O'Hara will be sung by Miss Mary Lewis.

The sermon is the third of the series "What It Means to be a Christian" now being preached by the Rev. S. P. Allison. It wil ldeal with the facts on which faith in God is based.

"Christianity, As A Handclasp" is the sermon topic in the morning. The text is from Philippians 3:12, "That I may lay hold of that for which I was laid hold of by Christ Jesus." Mr. Richman plans to sing the solo "Spirit of God." by Neidlinger.

Remus Guests

Mrs. O. A. Zollinger, Miss Radiance Zollinger and Miss Beryl Buckley of St. Joseph are track meet guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Remus on West First street. In the declamatory finals this morning Miss Zollinger won first place.

Former Teacher Visits Here.

Miss Alicia Keeler of Kansas City, a former resident of Maryville and teacher of English in the Maryville High School for a number of years, came last night to attend the track meet. Miss Keeler is now teaching English in the Westport High School in Kansas City.

Headquarters for Present at Maryville

Jefferson City, April 28—Officials of the Greater Missouri movement, organized here recently and composed of representatives of commercial bodies and members of the state press, held a business meeting Friday in the office of Governor Hyde and made plans for the future. It is proposed to obtain a fund of $40,000 by subscriptions for advertising the advantages of Missouri. About $3,000 already has been obtained, one-third of it coming from the Sedalia Commercial Club.

A committee of finances was appointed as follows: J. F. Hull of Maryville, president of the Greater Missouri Association; Dale Flowers, Albany; E. Lansing Ray, St. Louis; George R. Wilkerson, Sedalia; X. P. Caverno, Canalou; C. O. Perry, Moberly, and C. M. Harrison, Boonville.

Headquarters for the present will be at Maryville, but later will be moved here.

British to Help U. S. Into Court

Will Accede to Reasonable Reservations to Permit American Entry Into Court.

Washington, April 28.—Great Britain is willing to accede to any reasonable reservations that may be adopted by the Senate in making it possible for the United States to enter the international world court, officials of the administration learned authoratively today.

Among those reservations is particularly the one that would give Great Britain only one vote instead of the six votes that the British Empire has in the voice of the councils of the League. This procedure was established at the Washington conference and Great Britain will again accede to American wishes if American entry can thus be assured.

Having been advised that leaders would line up behind the proposal with such reservations and compromises to the original protocol, President Harding and Secretary Hughes have enlisted the aid of noted international lawyers to draft suitable reservations.

Three Men Held for Killing Four

Mob Violence Threatened at Idabel, Okla., Following Brutal Murder Of Farmer and Family

Idabel, Okla., April 28: With intense feeling existing throughout McCurtin County against the slayer of four members of the family of T. H. Hansel, a farmer living near Hayworth, and open threats of mob violence being made against the three men in connection with the crime, officers are preparing today for a quick removal of the three men under arrest on short notice if the undercurrent of feeling against them continues to flare up.

John W. Pope, 45 years old, son-in-law of Hansell, was arrested by a posse this afternoon across the Texas border near Clarksville. A. L. Miller and Ira Gardner, said to be friends of Pope were taken in the Red River bottoms near Haworth. They were reported to have been headed for Texas.

Pope was taken to Clarksville and plans were made to bring him back to Idabel tonight. Both Miller and Gardner are held in the McCurtain County jail here.

The dead are: T. H. Hansell, Mrs. T. H. Hansell, Mrs. John W. Pope, their daughter; infant daughter of Mrs. Pope.

Aubrey Pope, the small son of Mrs. Pope, was severely wounded and physicians say he will not live.

Ben Hansell, 17-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hansell, and his 7-year-old sister, Ruth, escaped unwounded.

THE STORY OF THE MAN WHO AT LAST FOUND EXACTLY WHAT HE WANTED.

An old Nodaway County settler had for many years been clinging to two habits. The one habit was of coming to Maryville every Saturday, rain or shine; the other habit was of getting himself a light lunch to eat on his way home.

But for a long time he had become dissatisfied with every lunch he bought; nothing appeased his appetite.

One day recently a merchant suggested something new to him—Butter Krisp Potato Chips. He bought a package.

Next Saturday he came back for more. "Those **BUTTER KRISP POTATO CHIPS** are just what I have been wanting for a long time," he said.

Fifty Years Ago

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(Items taken from the Nodaway Democrat of May 1, 1873).

We are glad to see that quite a number of the property owners of Maryville have planted trees in front of their lots this spring. It is not too late yet, and we hope to see more planted.

The Pickering Manufacturing Company are now turning out a new cultivator, which, farmers say, posesses advantages over cultivators of other makes. We are informed that the company hold patents over the improvements that render their cultivators so popular. These cultivators are being turned out in large numbers, and sold at lower prices than those from other makers.

On last Thursday evening the fence of the fair ground caught fire, supposed to be from a spark from the locomotive. From fifteen to twenty rods of fence and the stables were destroyed, making a total loss of from $400 to $500.

The St. Joseph bridge is expected to be completed in about thirty days. The draw and approaches are nearly done, and the track is being rapidly land.

A meeting of the citizens of Green township was held at Quitman on April 26 to discuss appointing a committee to confer with the Quincy, Missouri and Pacific Railroad company. The meeting was organized by calling L. D. Young to the chair, and appointing W. R. McKenzie as secretary.

There will be a meeting of the directors of the Nodaway County agricultural and mechanical association held at the Secretary's office on Saturday, May 3.

Twenty Years Ago

Rev. Paul Linn, pastor of the M. E. Church, South, of Maryville will preach the commencement sermon to the graduating class of the Graham school next Sunday.

Prof. T. H. Cook has accepted the position of teacher of mathematics in the Stanberry Normal.

Elder Charles L. Beal preached at Clearmont Sunday.

Elder O. W. Lawrence will preach his farewell sermon at the Christian Church Sunday night, and all the Protestant churches in the city will unite in a union meeting. Rev. Lawrence has occupied the pulpit of the Christian Church in this city for five years.

A number of Maryville people have received cards announcing the approaching wedding of William Burris Gex to Miss Mary L. Anderson on Tuesday, May 5, 1903. Mr. Gex is a son of Robert Gex and the bride to be is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson, both prominent families of Hughes township.

G. W. Fink of the Linville Hotel has purchased the Ed Forsyth property on West Second street. Mr. Forsyth and family will move to their elegant residence on Main and First streets, formerly the Mrs. A. T. Ellis home.

The following Masons left Monday for St. Louis to attend Grand Commandery and Grand Chapter: Capt. I. V. McMillan, W. H. Totterdale, Charles Lippman, C. M. McNeal, Dr. Allender, George Heck, David Munn and Adolph Koch.

Fred L. Curfman, manager of the Kyle Art Glass Company, returned to Kansas City Wednesday.

The Ladies Choral Club of Maryville, under the leadership of Prof. I. Edwin Schneider, will give a concert in the Christian Church next Tuesday evening.

GRANDVIEW.

Mary Helen Payne visited Grandview school Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Sanders were shopping in St. Joseph Saturday.

Thomas Wray is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Jno. Morin and family.

Wayne Spargur spent Saturday night with Chester Logan.

Miss Iva Burns spent Sunday with home folks in Parnell.

George Wray returned to his home at Worth Tuesday after spending a few days with his sister, Mrs. John Morin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Jobe are visiting relatives near Grant City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Stone spent Tuesday and Wednesday in St. Joseph.

Geo. Boyd was a Sunday dinner guest at W. D. Hart's.

Harry Willson found a wolf den on Saturday and captured eight young ones.

Mrs. Icie Bunker was hostess to the Consolidated Friendship Club at her home northeast of Parnell on Thursday, April 26.

After usual business afternoon was spent sewing rug rags. Luncheon was served by Mrs. Bunker, assisted by Mrs. Stella Hart. Those present: Mrs. Lulu Willson, Mrs. Edith Hines, Mrs. Blanche Cline, Mrs. Lela Logan, Mrs. Mabel Hart, Mrs. Grace Sanders, Mrs. Mollie Boyd and son, Mrs. Nettie Roberts, Mrs. Pearl Wilson, Mrs. Hattie Payne, Mrs. Stellie Hart. Next meet in two weeks with Mrs. Mabel Hawk. Roll call to be answered with Bible verse. Mother program will be given.

Mrs. Myrtle Harris bought 100 baby chicks from Mrs. Lulu Willson Tuesday.

One-Fifth of School Children's Vision Poor

One-fifth of School Children Have Poor Vision, Says Optometrist

H. L. Raines optometrist of this city, who attended the annual convention of the Missouri Optometric Association, held at the Slater Hotel in St. Louis on Monday and Tuesday of this week, says the feature address was made by Dr. R. C. Augustin of Aurora, Ill., before the Sales Managers' Bureau of the St. Louis Chamber of Commerce.

"There are 25,000,000 young people in the schools of America today," said Doctor Augustine, "and we have found by actual survey that 5,000,000 of them have eyes which are so completely out of focus that it is interfering with the progress in school and robbing them of their opportunity for preparation for life. This almost universal need for glasses in modern civilized life is due largely to the constant use of the eyes at close range, and to almost constant exposure to the glare of the sidewalks, streets, or building, and from highpower electric lights.

"The strain of civilized life falls most heavily upon the eyes, the most delicate and the hardest worked of any of the organs of the body. This is especially true of school children, because a child's eyes are immature; they are baby eyes until he has reached the age of from 10 to 12 years, and too frequently he is required to do work which would mean a full load for mature eyes."

The annual convention of the association had an attendance of about 300 optometrists. Mayor Kiel gave an address before the association in which he spoke of the old days when people went to try on "specs" at random without any regard as to whether they were suitable or not.

Navy Recruiting Officer Here

A. E. Corry, of the navy recruiting station at St. Joseph, was in Maryville today in interest of enlistments for the navy. Corry says there are about a thousand discharges from the navy a month. About half of these re-enlist and the remainder is filled by recruitment. At present there are places open for typists, stenographers, musicians, coppersmiths, and blacksmiths. The pay of these range from $54 to $72. The present standing strength of the navy is 86,000.

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W. O. W. HALL, APRIL 28.
The pleasure is all yours.
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KANSAS CITY CHAMBER MUSIC SOCIETY
(THE LITTLE SYMPHONY)

Special Concert for Rural School Children

Friday, May 4, 1:30 p.m.

Through the courtesy of the Maryville Chamber of Commerce

THE MARYVILLE CHAMBER OF COMMERCE, to show their appreciation of the co-operation of the rural schools of Nodaway County, have secured for the school children of the rural schools, one program of the "LITTLE SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA" and a SOLOIST for Friday afternoon at the College Auditorium, beginning at 1:30 sharp, to which the school children of the county are invited to be the guests of the CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

Tickets will be issued to the boys and girls of the rural schools FREE at the south door of the college, from 10:00 a. m., until 1:30 p. m.

The program will be one which will be especially interesting to school children and the LITTLE SYMPHONY is one of the most wonderful orchestras of its kind, so that the rural school children of Nodaway County are offered a chance which no one of them can afford to miss. Remember that rural school children are guests and that tickets are FREE to them.

Maryville Chamber of Commerce

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Tonight

Wm. Russell

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A PLEASANT PLACE FOR GENTLE FOLKS.

What of America?

Shall This Government Live or Die?

If you would not be forgotten as soon as you are dead, either write things worth reading or do things worth the writing.—Benjamin Franklin.

XXII.

Franklin's Shoestring of Diplomacy and What He Made of It.

The year that followed the Valley Forge winter produced little in military results, but it witnessed the treaty of alliance with France. In February, 1778, while Washington's tattered soldiers hugged the fires on their bleak hillside, Benjamin Franklin at Paris affixed his signature to the document that proclaims him the greatest and most successful diplomatist in history.

Three may keep a secret if two of them are dead.—Poor Richard.

Less than two years before Franklin had appeared at Paris as commissioner from congress, and though as a philosopher and scientist whose reputation extended over all Europe he was received by all classes, official France durst not recognize him openly. Franklin had spent fifteen years in London, previous to the revolution, as agent for Pennsylvania and other colonies, and was known and regarded abroad not only as the greatest of Americans but as among the greatest of men. His story was known in every country; how as a boy he had started out to make his fortune with nothing but a loaf of bread under his arm; how he had taught himself out of books and from observation of Nature all that the wisest men had learned at universities; how, by industry and the persevering development of his extraordinary mind he had raised himself from printer's devil to the highest pinnacles of literary, philosophic and scientific fame. Europe warmed itself at Franklin's stoves; Franklin lightning rods protected its capitals from a heavenly wrath they had too good reason to fear; his maxims of wisdom had been translated into every language; his scientific discoveries were discussed in every academy.

Diligence is the mother of good luck. —Poor Richard.

Now, when he was 70 years old and had won in many fields a renown as great as that enjoyed by the most renowned in each, he had crossed the ocean again at the risk of capture to meet in the field of diplomacy the most skilled votaries of that distinctly European art. All Paris crowded to see him. The great Dr. Franklin was more in demand than a king's minister. His portrait was in the shop windows; his sayings were handed about in society; the fashionable wore their clothes a la Franklin. The highest in the government received him privately, but as France was at peace with England the ministers were careful not to give offense. Franklin himself was equally decorous, but the English ambassador was not deceived. He warned the French government not to be hoodwinked by the doctor's innocent appearance.

The wise man draws more advantage from his enemies than the fool from his friends.—Poor Richard.

"Dr. Franklin," said Lord Stormont "has got the better of three English foreign ministers, and is never so dangerous as when he appears the most simple."

This was the gentleman whose name Franklin made famous in Paris by his retort, when asked if a certain statement Lord Stormont had made were true.

"No," replied Franklin, "it is not true, it's a—Stormont."

An ounce of wit that is bought is worth a pound that is taught.—Poor Richard.

Franklin worked quietly and unobtrusively. He even withdrew from the city a short distance to Plassy, where his house became the rendezvous for all the notables of France. Even this popularity, the manifestations of which frequently were distasteful to him—as when he had to sit and hear lauditory verses recited in his honor at social functions—was skillfully capitalized by him. He contrived by these means to make the American cause fashionable in Paris, and in Paris that meant a great deal. One by one the ministers were won over, not to open recognition of the United States at first, for that would mean war with England, but to Franklin's proposals for secret credits. This point gained, he fell to borrowing, and first to last he borrowed 26 million francs from the French and spent it with them for supplies for Washington's army.

If you have no honey in your pot have some in your mouth.—Poor Richard.

At last came the news of Burgoyne's surrender and the French government threw off the mask. Franklin was received openly by ministers and king, and the treaty of alliance was made. It was Franklin's hour of triumph. He had to come to France on a ship that carried a cargo of indigo, which was sold when he reached port to pay the expenses of his mission. On that shoestring of diplomacy he had, by his energy, his patience and the compelling force of his own personality, achieved a result that would have been pronounced impossible by every statesman in Europe. He had not only raised up a friend for America, but an enemy for England.

Poor Louis had his misgivings of this business. He, too, was in the king trade, and while willing to deal a blow at England and a brother king, had his royal doubts about the wisdom of encouraging rebels. Fortunate would it have been for Louis if his own rebels when the time came for him to have them, had been, like George's on the other side of an ocean.

He that scatters thorns, let him not go barefoot.—Poor Richard.

On the day that Franklin went to King Louis's court, in his simple dress, spectacles and unpowdered hair, walking through the lines of the applauding, bewigged and lace-ruffled nobility of France, the United States took its recognized place among the family of nations. It had gained admittance there, not solely through its demonstrated ability to maintain its own independence, for the issue of the war was still in doubt, but through the adroit and untiring labors of his country's first and greatest contribution to universal genius, Dr. Bonhomme Richard Franklin.

(To be continued in The Democrat-Forum tomorrow).

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Good Prospects for Bull Associations

Kinnaird and M. U. Expert Visit in Harmony and Ravenwood Yesterday.

County Agent Roy A. Kinnaird and J. M. Regan, dairy specialist from the Agricultural Extension Service, University of Missouri, who spent the last two days around Harmony and Ravenwood are very much encouraged at the prospects for the organization of two purebred dairy bull associations in those communities. The prospects are good for the organization of a Jersey association among the dairy cattle breeders around Maryville and Harmony and for a Holstein bull association among the breeders of Holsteins around Ravenwood.

In order to organize a complete association it is necessary to have men raising one particular breed, located in such a way that they can buy three highly bred purebred bulls. At the end of two years bulls are taken to different farms, and again exchange places after two years more. This makes it possible for the cattle raisers to have the use of purebred bulls for six years at the small cost of purchasing a share in one purebred bull. Another great advantage is, should one of these purebred bulls prove to be a good sire, which can not be known until after his daughters freshen, then the exceptionally valuable bull can be saved for use in other communities. Without the bull association under which the bulls can be kept in use for six years, he would probably have already gone to slaughter, no one ever knowing whether he were a valuable bull or just a mediocre purebred.

The organization of the bull association in the communities mentioned has gone to the extent that the owners of cows have signified their willingness to buy purebred bulls and have authorized the County Agent and Extension Service to locate a number of good bulls for sale.

Two bulls good enough to go into the Jersey association are already in the territory, one on the farm of Floyd Evans, another on the farm of E. C. Moberly near Maryville, so the purchase of one will complete the association. For the Harmony association around Ravenwood, it will be necessary to buy all three bulls.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt McKee and daughters, Doris and Ogie of Orrsburg were Maryville visitors today.

The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan

"The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan is going to be a boon to many families and permit them to buy a car much quicker than they ever dreamed," Barmann Auto Co., local Ford dealer said today in discussing the new Plan which is creating such widespread comment and which is being enthusiastically received everywhere.

"In my experience as a Ford dealer, and I believe it is true with every other dealer and salesman as well, I have met many persons who expressed their desire to own a Ford, and who frankly told me that somehow they never could get together enough money to make the initial payment on one.

"The result was, of course, that they went on wanting a car and hoping that some day something would turn up whereby they could get a car.

"Now that 'something' has turned up. The Ford Weekly Purchase Plan simplifies it all and makes it easier to come into the ownership of a car.

"It is constructive automobile buying in the simplest and easiest form and present to countless families all over the country the long wished for opportunity of enjoying motor car benefits and pleasures.

"Right here in our own city it will be more than welcome.

"Take the family where, say, the father is not the only wage earner, but where perhaps a son or a daughter or two are at work. The family never has enjoyed a car, yet every member times without number has expressed a desire to own one.

"Under the Ford Weekly Purchase Plan there is no reason at all why such a family should not soon own a Ford car. If each member contributes just a little of his or her earnings each week it will hardly seem any time at all before the whole family will be enjoying a car.

What is true of the family is true also of the individual who wants a car.

"And one of the most appealing features of the Plan is that it is adaptable to the means of practically everyone. The weekly payments, which are deposited to the credit of the customer in the bank and draw interest at the regular saving rate, may be fixed to suit the desires of each purchaser. What could be easier than that?

Good Hogs From Nodaway Sell Well

Hughes & Felton, big breeders and represented on St. Joseph market feeders of Nodaway county, were with a shipment of good butchers that averaged 228 lbs. and sold at $7.70, within a nickel of the extreme top of the market. There were 77 head in the load. They report that the spring pig crop in their locality is very good. Hughes & Felton are extensive operators and regular patrons of this market. Their hogs are all immune.

Market topping honors on hogs today went to Pat Shea, Nodaway county, on a load of choice well-finished Poland China butchers that brought $7.75. There were 79 head in the lot that averaged 216 lbs. These hogs were the only ones to command the price on today market.—St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal.

Dredge Boat Ready to Start Work

(Guilford Times)

Last Saturday the Dredge Boat started on it's journey from the railroad right of way to the river. It reached its destination on Monday near the wagon bridge west of town. They will begin ditching from there south to the railroad bridge then retrace and work north from the bridge. Today they are ditching and blasting stumps. Every day there are a lot of people visit the scene of operation for it is very interesting to see it work.

ST. FRANCIS HOSPITAL NOTES

The following patients were admitted during the last week; Dr. F. M. Martin, Maryville; Mrs. F. R. Anthony, Maryville ;Gale Mitchell, Maryville; Mrs. O. V. Goff, Barnard; Mrs. Roy Tibbetts, Maryville; Charles Grayson, Bedford, Ia.; L. C. Klocc, Bedford, Ia.; Miss Ina Hollowell, Maryville; Mrs. Ralph Riley, Maryville; Merrill Cox, Hopkins; and Henry McIntire, Elmo.

A son was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Nicholas of Burlington Junction.

The following patients were dismissed: Mrs. H. D. Sheridan, Maryville; Mrs. Dale Wiley, Pickering; Miss Opal Hill, Maryville; Mrs. T. E. Baker, Maryville; Master David Heflin, Parnell; L. C. Klocc, Bedford, Ia.; Mrs. Roy Tibbetts, Maryville; Charles Grayson, Bedford, Ia.; Merrill Cox, Hopkins; Master Harold Hunt, Maryville; and Mrs. Dale Stewart and infant daughter of Conception Junction.

ALL STEEL TRAINS TO WEIGH 1,000,000 POUNDS

When the Wabash Railroad inaugurates, on May 1, its new all-steel train service to and from Chicago, St. Louis, Detroit, Kansas City and Omaha, each train will weigh more than a million pounds.

Sixty-five tons of steel are used in one of the chair cars, while the new dining cars represent a weight of eighty tons. This immense weight prevents the jolts and swaying movements of the trains when in motion. The strong steel exteriors make the cars almost indestructible.

"The new all-steel trains, combine all the latest and best ideas of construction, and are the greatest triumph of car builders," declared H. E. Watts, Passenger Traffic Manager of the Wabash in speaking of the newservice. "The three essentials in travel today are comfort, safety and convenience. The steel car, which of course is the strongest car that can be made, also permits of interior workmanship of the highest order. The builders are able to include features that are not practical in an ordinary car. The easy riding motions of a heavy steel car is apparent at once. We believe our new all-steel trains will have a strong appeal to the traveling public.

The purchase of twenty-five additional all-steel passenger cars, including chair cars, coaches, dining cars, and club cars, has made possible these through trains of a type that gives a solid steel construction from end to end.

Parnell

By Willing Workers

Miss Helen Hines of Conception has been visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Delia Smith several days.

Mrs. Ben Malam and children of Maryville are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hammond east of town.

Horace Felton who is attending the State University came home for a few days visit Monday. He was accompanied by his friend, Wm. Hudson of Galveston, Texas.

Elwood Richards returned Tuesday from several weeks trip in Southeastern Kansas.

The Community Circle met at the church Wednesday April 25th. An hour was spent in work after which a short business session was held following which a delicious lunch was served. Those present were Mesdames John Kennedy, Harrison Murdock, G. M. Spoonemore, Joshua Baublits, Eva Hawk, Wm. Beekman, Henry Shellman, Jas. La Favor, George Wilson, H. Day, G. T. Logan, Charles Myers, J. T. Logan, Wallace Kennedy, John Densmore, W. C. Nelson, A. J. Roof, J. M. Broadbent, Jess Fish, John Adams, Jeff Beatty, T. M. Cox and Miss Getha Conrad.

Roy Fitzsimmons and wife and mother of Conception were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. X. Berg Thursday.

Vea Araold and wife are the proud parents of a new son who arrived Sunday.

Julius Klaas who has recently moved from St. Joseph to Conception was visiting his brothers here Thursday.

Miss Aloah Morin viisted Tuesday night with Miss May Percy.

Alva Laughlin was a dinner guest of T. M. Cox and family Thursday.

Miss Emma Smith a nurse from Kansas City, is spending a few days here visiting her mother, Mrs. Delia Smith.

Mrs. Louisa Klaas returned Thursday from a three week's visit in Chicago, Ill., and Gary, Ind.

T. A. Cummins of Maryville attended the Jones' sale here Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Barber and children visited with Wm. Beekman and wife Thursday.

Several students from Parnell High School entered the track meet at Maryville Friday and Saturday. The boys entering are: Orlie Stutesman, Alwin Millikan, Nelson Keever, Harley Stutesman, Leo Cox, and Horace Jones. The girls who entered are Pauline Jones, LaVeta McKee, Feroi Richards, Lucile Giesken and Rose Mayfield. John Kennedy and Veronica Hall entered the Oratorical Contest and Nelson Keever will represent Parnell in Extemporaneous speaking.

Mrs. Inez Cummins, Misses Lolita Hall, Opal Ingram and Marie Funderburk and Cecil Hall went to Maryville to the Track Meet Friday.

Mrs. Eva Burns is quite ill at her home here and Miss Clara Clutter has taken her place as chief clerk in Kaufman's store.

Viron Bird is improving his property by adding a new garage.

Wm. Beekman and wife and Mr and Mrs. James Barber were in Sheridan on business Friday.

The Willing Workers offered 1st, 2nd and 3rd prizes in each of the first three rooms in school for the best posters made by the pupils on "Clean Up Day." The pupils to whom the prizes were awarded are 1st room—first, Marshall Dixon; second, Lloyd Logan; third, LaVon Mayfield. Second room—first, Mabel Parker; second, Donald Ransom; third, Paul Griffey. Third room—first, Harry Kaufman; second, Ima Surplus; third Andra Finley.

Mrs. Daily Foster attended the funeral of her grand aunt Mrs. Lucinda Burns near Orrsburg Wednesday.

Fred Stites who has been in New Orleans the past winter returned Tuesday.

TARPLEY ITEMS.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith were at the Tob Spangler home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Reed and sons spent Wednesday evening at the Sam McGinness home.

Mrs. Tob Spangler entertained Sunday in honor of her son, Carl, it being his tenth birthday. A few of his school friends and teacher were invited to spend the day with him. Some were unable to go on account of the bad weather.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McGinness are the proud parents of a son born Monday, April 23.

Tom Montgomery went to Maryville Tuesday and spent the night with his brothers, J. D. and E. A. Montgomery.

Edna McGinness spent Sunday afternoon at Charley Donahue's.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Veatch and children called at the Tom Kimball home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hutchison, their daughter, Mertie, and son, Clarence, of Parnell were shopping in Maryville Saturday.

Clem Breemer of Parnell transacted business in Maryville today.

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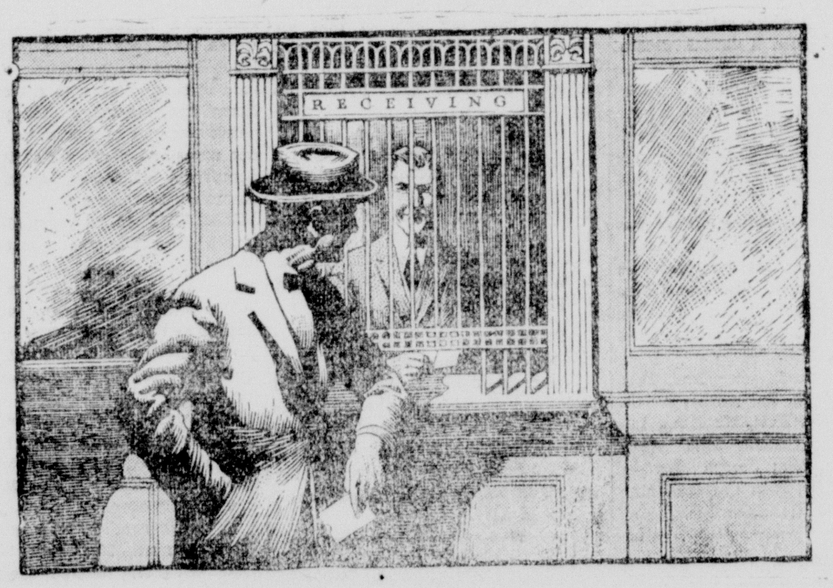

The First Thousand

ARE the hardest, as the saying goes. This man has just turned his first thousand. The next will be much easier. His present account will pay nearly $3.00 a month interest. He has acquired the saving habit. He has a plan and he has confidence. He saves regularly. His deposits are larger because he got a raise. His future is rosy.

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LEGAL FORMS FOR SALE—The following legal forms may be had at The Democrat-Forum office: Quit Claim Deed, House Leases, Deed of Trust, Chattle Mortgage with power of Sale, and General Warranty Deed.

BATH TUBS—$27.00. James Smith Plumbing and Heating Co. Hanamo 506. Kane Building. A3tf

BUY, SELL OR EXCHANGE stoves furniture and rugs, Case Furniture Exchange. J23tf

FOR SALE—Parts for all kinds of implements. Largest stock in northwest Missouri. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J 29tf

FOR SALE—Reduced prices on repairs for all kinds of implements. Lowry Hardware and Implement Co. J29tf

Alfalfa, Sudan and Cane Seed, Holt Supply Co. A7tf

FOR SALE—Strawberry plants, Senator Dunlap, 60c per hundred. H. W. Hull, 522 W. Cooper; Farmers 33-17. 19tf

For mites I'll use Carbolineum. It lasts a year. Holt Supply Co. M3tf

FOR SALE—Chester White male hog, 5 months old, weight about 200 lbs., 17.50 if taken soon. Han. 4569. 26-28

FOR SALE—sow pig at 521 South Hester street. 27-30

STRAWBERRY PLANTS—Senator Dunlap and Warfield, extra nice, plants ready any time. Harve England, Hanamo 3268. A9tf

SEED CORN—Iowa grown. See Smith and Braniger, Seed and Storage. A21-M20.

FOR SALE—60 acres known as the "Elm Grove" stock farm, located one half mile north of State Teachers College. Improvements are thoroughly modern, having city water and electric lights. House has ten large rooms two barns, and plenty of out-buildings for stock. All smooth land. Will sell at attractive price. For particulars see Allen Bros, "The Land Men." 27-30

FOR SALE—Electric iron, $3.00. 510 S. Mulberry. Hanamo 4135. 27-30*

FOR SALE—Large, 3-door bookcase. 309 West Fourth St. Hanamo 6472. 28-M1

FOR SALE—A snap, 6-room house, 2 lots, $3,500; 13 lots on Normal avenue, good terms, See J. T. Hays.

FOR SALE—Spotted Poland China boars and gilts, beautiful color, and very typie, immuned. Boars ready for service, gilts ready to breed, special price for 10 days. M. A. Gray, Phone 1001 Barnard, Mo. 25-2*

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—phone me if you have horses or mules for sale and I will call and invoice them, and I have good farm mares and mules for sale

ALL KINDS OF BRICKWORK and concrete work. Guy Kissinger, 207 South Saunders. Hanamo 3706. A16tf.

Earn $20 weekly, spare time, at home, addressing, mailing, music, circulars. Send 10c for music, information. American Music Co. 1658 Broadway, Dept. 18-F, N. Y. 16-28*

WANTED—Lawn mowers to sharpen and repair at Armstrongs Foundry. A19tf

Furnished rooms to rent. 220 South Saunders. Hanamo 4706. 27-30*

LOST—Square brown leather handbag, $7.00 in bills, on West 3rd. St. Return to Democrat-Forum, Reward. 28-M1*

FOR RENT—Two nice clean modern rooms for light housekeeping. Hanamo 3625. 28-1

HELP WANTED—A few men to work in nursery, $2.50 per day. Call in person at packing grounds west of Tourists' Park. Murray Nurseries. 28-M1

Men, women, salary $75 full time, $1.50 an hour spare time, selling the genuine guaranteed hosiery direct to wearer, beautiful line. International Mills, Norristown, Pa. 28*

WANTED—1 or 2 unfurnished rooms for light house keeping. Call Democrat-Forum. 27-30*

LOST—license plate No. 102-702. Return to Democrat-Forum. 25-27*

WANTED—Washing to do at home, 220 So. Saunders. Hanamo 4706. 27-M5*

FOR RENT—furnished front room close in, breakfast if desired. Mrs. H. D. Morris, 310 East Jenkins. 27-30

WANT to make your auto tops. Work guaranteed. Lanning Auto Top and Tire Shop, east side of square. A28-tf

WANTED—Man with car to sell guaranteed Cord tires. Will arrange salary and expense with right man. Cord-o-Van Rubber Company, 166 West Jackson Blvd., Chicago, Ill. 28*

LOST—Brown Boston bull dog, with small white streak on face. Call Hanamo 6653. 28-1

WANTED—Situation as house keeper by respectable middle aged lady, call 5721 Hanamo. 28-M1*

LOST—Fountain pen, Black and White, with white tip on each end. Lost on streets between North Mulberry and Central School building. Please return to E. Barrett, care Democrat-Forum. 28-30x

The Red Cross has important mail for Frank W. Ketchum. Forwarded from Ridgeway, Mo. 28-M1*

LOST—Strayed or stolen, Collie dog, yellow and white, answers to name of Sport. Fred Ager, Farmers 4-17. 28-M1*

MARKET REPORTS

Chicago, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 700.
HOGS—Receipts, 5,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 0.

St. Louis, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 150.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 0.

Kansas City, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 170.
HOGS—Receipts, 3,000.
SHEEP—Receipts, 400.

St. Joseph, April 28—CATTLE—Receipts, 60.
Hogs 5 cents higher.
SHEEP—Receipts, 300.

TODAY'S MARKET

Eggs, per dozen	20c
Butter,fat, per lb	34c
Springs, per lb	35c
Hens, per lb	17c
Roosters, per lb	6c
Ducks, per lb	11c
Geese per lb.	8c
Hides per lb	7c

Guests at Eversole Home

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Eversole have as their week-end guests the latter's cousin, Ralph Erwin, and Ernest Misner, both of Omaha, who arrived in Maryville Thursday. Mr. Misner is connected with the Misner School of Expression in Omaha.

Mrs. Helen Hopkins will leave Monday afternoon to visit relatives in Bolckow and St. Joseph for several days.

Poultry

Vigorous pure bred S. C. Reds, good dark red color Hogan tested. Eggs utility $4.00 per hundred. Month of April pen No. 1, $1.50 per setting. Satisfaction guaranteed. Mrs. Ed Shreve, Pickering.

S. C. R. I. eggs from reds that are red and have layed at 5 months of age, Mahood Owens and Brehm strain, $1.25, $2, $3 per setting prepaid. J. Ward Stevenson, Graham, Mo. A23-M23

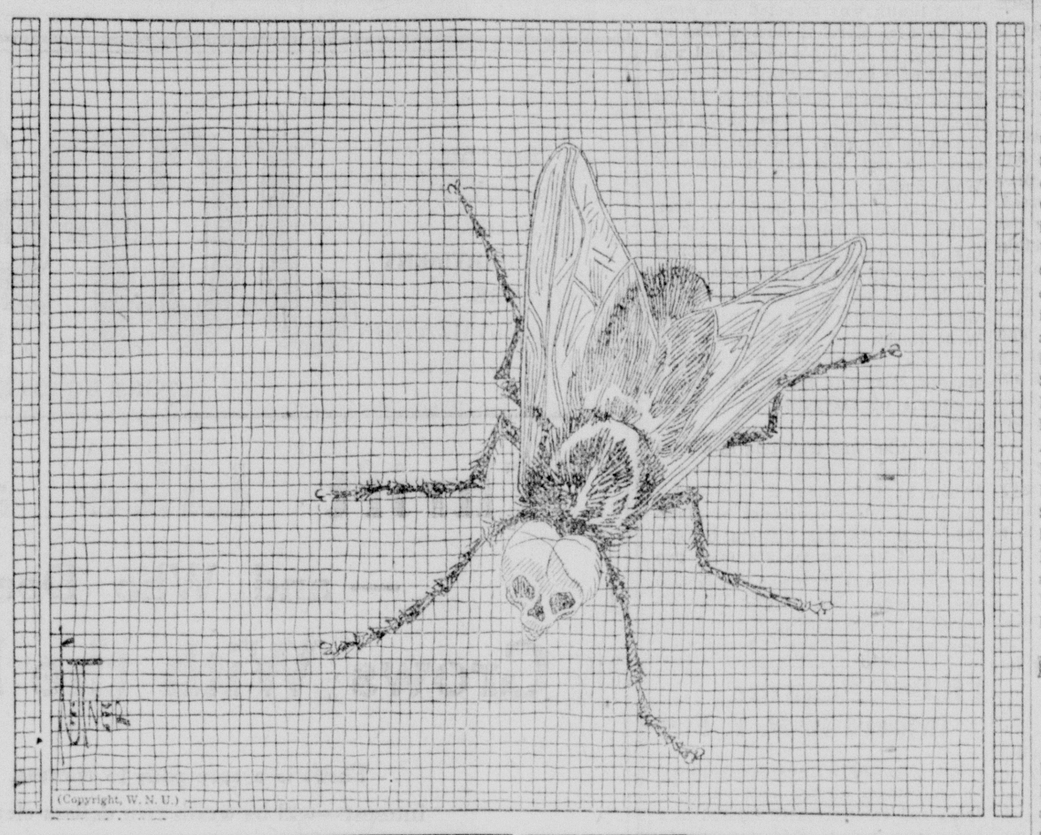
FOR SALE April 28—About 500 S. C. White Leghorn baby chicks, standard bred. Exceptionally fine stock. Chicks to be seelcted by purchaser. Mrs. John Rush, Barnard. A21-tf

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, $10.00 per 100, through June and July. Place your orders early. Groves Hatchery, Skidmore. Phone Graham. A23-M7

TO WANT ADV. PATRONS.

The Democrat-Forum has been accepting want and small classified advertisements over the telephone as a matter of accomodation, but some of our patrons have not appreciated this service. Please bear in mind that these small ads are cash business and that, when they are accepted over the telephone, it is only as a matter of accommodation and with the understanding that payment for same will be brought or sent to this office within three days. The amounts are too small to justify the opening of an account or sending out collectors. (tf)

Now Appearing on the Local Screen



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News From Over The County

Hopkins Journal

Geo. H. Dooley, who has been in failing health for ten or twelve years passed away last Monday. Funeral services were conducted at the home, 3 miles east of Hopkins, Wednesday afternoon by Rev. H. McNamee, of Tarkio, a former pastor of the deceased, and burial took place in the Hopkins cemetery. Mr. Dooley had resided on the farm where he died for 27 years.

Ed Northover and daughter, Esther left last week for Denver, Colo. where Esther will remain probably during the summer the trip being made for the benefit of her health, the doctors finding she has weak lungs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown left last Thursday for Columbus, Wis., being called by the death of William L. Leitsch, a brother-in-law of Mr. Brown.

Fee Mathers planted three acres of corn last Thursday and is now wondering whether it is going to grow or rot by reason of the cold wet weather we have had since then. Usually many acres of corn have been planted in this vicinity long before this time but very little this year will go into the ground until after the first of May, the wet weather preventing the farmers from getting the ground in shape to plant. Wheat, grass and oats look immense and there is plenty of time yet to plant corn.

Art Yeager received a telegram Tuesday announcing the death of Sam Wroe at his home near Brookfield, Mo. Mr. Wroe was well known here, having owned and lived on the farm, now owned by Fred Olmsted, a mile south of Hopkins.

Parnell Sentinel

Ben Jones' string of race horses will be entered at the Maple Heights race track near Cleveland, Ohio, next month. Mr. Jones is expected home most any time for a short visit.

Most every business house and residence in town has electric lights. One that is needed as much as anyone is the Great Western depot, but we believe it will join the vast army of users before long.

Fred Stites returned Tuesday from Oklahoma where he sold his race horse, "Brown Dick." Mr. Stites had been at the New Orleans races during the entire season.

Jake Fletchall and wife went to Redding Iowa, Monday evening to attend the funeral of Ellis Hiatt, whose wife is a sister of Mrs. Fletchall.

Ravenwood Gazette

Purl Nelson suffered a broken nose last Thursday while engaged in a game of baseball at LaBelle school house. The injury was very painful but the nose will soon be alright again.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Jasper and Everett Bentley went to Kansas City, Wednesday of last week, called there by the death of their little nephew, Ervie C. Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Ervie C. Bentley. They returned home Saturday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bentley, who visited until Wednesday at the home of Mr. Bentley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bentley.

Skidmore News

Wm. Ruddle, the 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Hays Ruddle, had the misfortune of getting his foot hurt Tuesday when the pony he was riding fell with him. Dr. Manning dressed his foot yesterday morning and said that the ligaments were torn loose. He is getting along very nicely.

Chicken and hog thieves have been at work in Skidmore community the past week. Mrs. John Crist lost about 85 of her thoroughbred Plymouth chickens; Mrs. George Knepper, some young chickens, and W. E. Haynes lost 10 head of hogs.

Clarence Sharp returned to his home in Casper, Wyo., Tuesday, after visiting several days with his mother, Mrs. Miles Cook.

Mrs. Mary Wampler of Lusk, Wyo., who has been visiting for the past two months with her son Ralph, expects to return to her home the first of next week.

Burlington Junction Post

M. G. Hamilton, who has had a number of years of experience in concrete work, is to open a block factory here soon. He has ordered the machinery, and has rented the old electric light building on the Wabash right-of-way. He expects to have the plant in operation at an early date. Mr. Hamilton will manufacture building blocks, brick, fence posts.

J. W. Cochran, who has been suffering for several days with a broken shoulder blade, as the result of falling from a disc, is reported as improving.

Judge and Mrs. Wm. Woods and daughter, Miss Grace, returned the latter part of the week from an extended visit at Palm Beach and other points in Florida.

Arve Burrus of Crete, Nebraska, arrived here yesterday to visit his mother, Mrs. S. Burrus, who has been quite sick.

Conception Courier.

The people of this community will be greatly shocked to learn of the death of Alois Remele, which occurred at his home in California, Friday, April 13. The funeral was held Monday, April 16. Mr. Remele had been in very poor health for the past year but his condition was not considered serious until about two months ago, when he was compelled to undergo an operation from the effetes of which he never recovered. For many years the deceased owned and operated the blacksmith shop in Clyde, but a few years ago he disposed of it and went to California to be near his children.

Julius Klaas, an old time resident of this community, but who, for the past few years, has made his home near St. Joseph, has purchased the A. F. Hyde property and will make his home here. Mr. Klaas has also purchased the McGarry bungalow on south Berry street.

Henry Steren and son, Russell, of Long Beach, Calif., came last Saturday for a few days' visit with relatives and friends.

Miss Eleanor Gaa of Seattle, Wash., was called home Monday by the illness of her father, Joseph Gaa.

Clearmont News.

Ira Lewis, who has been out in Colorado for about four months, returned home Wednesday evening of last week. He says there was about four feet of snow on the ground there when he left.

Last Thursday evening about 30 of the Baptist people surprised their new pastor, Rev. Laughlin and wife, by giving them what they termed a "get acquainted party" at the parsonage.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Vinton Carver got one of its arms dislocated at the elbow last Saturday. Dr. Wiley set the elbow and it is getting along nicely.

O. D. Adkins, who has been living in Omaha for the past six months, has moved back here and is again located at his old home west of the river.

Miss Leatha Castillo of Elmo was the guest during the contests at the State Teachers College of Mrs. Lowell L. Livengood and Miss Fay Castillo.

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JUMBO WONDER No. 7951

Is a large black Jack with white points, 16 hands, 1 inch high, 32 inch ear, 8½ inch leg bone. This Jack is too well known to need further description.

TERMS—Horse, $12.50; Jack $10 to insure colt to stand and suck. Money due when colt stands; colts held for service fee. Fee due when owner parts with mare or moves out of neighborhood without my consent. Care will be taken to prevent accidents, but will not be responsible should any occur.

This stallion and jack will make the season of 1923 at my farm at south side of Pickering, Mo.

C. R. HARMAN, Phone No. 11.

Successful Ter m at Glendale School

Paul Smith closed a successful term of school at the Glendale school, northwest of Pickering yesterday and has been re-employed as teacher for next year. Dinner in cafeteria style was enjoyed at noon and the rest of the day was spent socially. Ermina Scott received a prize for being neither tardy nor absent during the year. Other pupils who won prizes in various studies were Mary Ulmer, Florabell Ulmer, Maurice Loch, Ruby Gray, Ralph Heuston, Herschel Saunders and Verlene Wilson. The following school patrons were present: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fakes, Mr. and Mrs. Mert Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Spurgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Will Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Denver Loch, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gumm, Mr. and Mrs. Xa Lincoln, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gray, Mrs. Frank Ulmer, Mrs. Will Spangler, Mrs. Milo Torrey, Mrs. James Alexander, Misses Tressie King, Gracie Ulmer, Naomi Swaney, and Elwood Fakes and John Anderson.

R. I. Bilby Moving Cattle From Kansas

R. I. Bilby, of Quitman, one of the biggest cattle handlers in northwest Missouri and owner of thousands of acres of land in Missouri, Kansas and Oklahoma, is moving a large herd of 3-year-old steers from his big ranch in Wallace county, extreme western Kansas, to his farms in Nodaway county, where he will feed them on the grass. A shipment of 18 cars of these cattle were unloaded at the St. Joseph Stock Yards Thursday night enroute to Quitman. There were 703 head in the shipment which came by special train over the Union Pacific and Grand Island lines. The steers are of fairly good quality and in fit condition to put on flesh rapidly. The ranch on which these cattle were raised comprises more than 20,000 acres, lying along or near the headwaters of the Smokey Hill river. Mr. Bilby has large cattle and land holdings in Oklahoma but he devotes the most of his time to his extensive farming and cattle feeding operations in the vicinity of Quitman. During the past winter he marketed here several hundred head of short-fed Texas and Oklahoma steers after a period of feeding on his northwest Missouri farms.—St. Joseph Stock Yards Journal.

Some Mule

A few days ago Enoch Byergo sold a mule to Matt Allison of Savannah for $300. Some good price is it not? —Guilford Times.

"COLD IN THE HEAD"
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McKinley Junior
No. 4764

Will make the season 1923 at the John Wagner farm, commonly known as George Jones' farm, 4½ miles northwest of Pickering.

McKinley is a large black Jack with white points, 65 inches high, girth 62 inches, 32½ inch ear, 8½ inch leg bone.

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John Wagner
Phone 18Z, Pickering.

Dr. Juvenal to Kirksville for Special Work

Dr. H. R. Juvenal will leave Monday afternoon for Kirksville where he will take special work at the American School of Osteopathy for a month. Mrs. Juvenal and baby son, Joseph, will leave at the same time for a month's visit with Mrs. Juvenal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. brown of Tiro, Ohio, and Dr. Juvenal's mother in Upper Sandusky, Ohio. They expect to be gone until June 1.

Clearmont High School Classes in Contest

The last of a series of literary contests between the classes of the Clearmont High School was held in the Methodist Church at Clearmont last evening when the Freshmen met the Seniors. The contests consisted of declamation, composition and a debate. The following was the program:

Violin solo—Bernice Beam.
Composition—Mary Smith, Senior.
Reading—Jacob Porterfield, Freshman.
Composition—Ruth Matlock, Freshman.
Reading—Opal Pollock, Senior.
Vocal solo—Ruth Matlock, Freshman.
Debate, Resolved, that the United States should cancel all foreign war debts. Affirmative—Wiley Poleson and Crystal Pence, Freshmen; Negative—Allie May Johnson and Floyd Billingsley, Seniors.
Reading—Gladys Jenkins.
Instrumental solo—Marjorie Gray.
Costume number—Four girls.

The Seniors won in debate and declamation and the Freshmen won in composition. A silver loving cup was awarded the winning class. Hubert Garrett is superintendent of the schools at Clearmont.

Caught Wolves

Last Sunday George Jackson and Amos Wells of Guilford located a wolf den near the gravel pit on the Ernest Nelson farm just northeast of Guilford. Geo. secreted himself and when the old wolf came to the den, he shot her. They brought the dead wolf and six live young pups to town. The old wolf was skinned and the hide will be tanned.—Guilford Times.

A marriage license has been issued in St. Joseph to Virgil Yount of Whitesville, Mo., and Miss Mildred Ledgerwood of Maryville.

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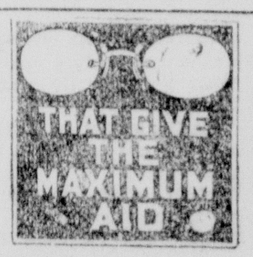

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ANNUAL MEETING OF DISTRICT NO. 3

TO BE HELD IN SKIDMORE, SUNDAY, MAY 6

SUNDAY SCHOOL MEET

G. B. Roseberry, President or County Association, Will Give Address

The officers of District No. 3 of the Nodaway County Sunday School Association met Monday night in Skidmore and arranged the program to be given at the convention to be held in Skidmore Sunday, May 6th, at the M. E. Church, South.

The program is as follows:

11:00—Devotional, Dr. J. O. Taylor

11:20—Instrumental solo, Verda Fray.

11:30—Address, Mrs. L. E. White, County Supt. Children's Division.

12:00—Basket dinner.

1:00—Music, Skidmore band.

1:10—Devotional, Rev. D. G. MacDougall.

1:30—Address, Miss Bertha Anderson, County Young People's Supt.

Divisional Conferences

Children's Division, Miss Bertha Hill, presiding.

Cradle Roll Superintendent, Her Task (5 minute talk), Mrs. Leta Bodle.

Need of Equipment for Beginners (5 minute talk), Mrs. Edna Logan.

Story and Picture Used in Worship Service for Primary (5 minute talk), Mrs. Dick Brooks.

Promotion Requirements for Juniors (5 minute talk), Mrs. Halfred Botkin.

Goals for District and District Superintendents (10 minute talk), Mrs. L. E. White.

Open Discussion (25 minutes).

Young Peoples Division, Miss Florence Jordan, presiding.

District Council Activities (5 minute talk), Rev. J. J. Cokely.

Mother and Daughters Week (5 minute talk) Florence Jordan.

Father and Sons Week (5 minute talk) Wayman McGinness.

Training for Service (10 minute talk) Mrs. Inez Loucks.

The Organized Class (10 minute talk) Halfred Botkin.

Open Discussion (25 minutes).

Adult Division—Mrs. Myrtle Northup, presiding

Standardizing Organized Bible Classes (5 minute talk), Mrs. W. W. Grigsby.

The Home Department at Work (10 minute talk) Mrs. F. H. Barrett.

Parent Study Classes, (10 minute talk) Mrs. Fred Peoples.

Training in Worship and Enrichment of the DevotionalLife (10 minute talk) Rev. E. F Hagee.

Open Discussion (25 minutes).

Administration Division, G. L. Owen, presiding.

Co-operation with other divisions (10 minute talk), Fred Barrett.

Better Programs (10 minute talk), W. G. Reynolds.

Preparing for Service in the Church School (10 minute talk), J. W. Weddle, Jr.

Workers Conference (5 minute talk), Elmer Johnson.

Grading and Promotion (10 minute talk), Mrs. Hazel Linville.

Open discussion (15 minutes).

Re-assemble for General Assembly

2:45—Address, G. B. Roseberry, President of Nodaway County Sunday School Association.

3:00—Business Session, election of officers, installation service, The Missouri News.

4:15—Adjournment.

The present officers of district No. 3 are:

F. H. Barrett, president; Elmer Johnson, vice-president; Ray Strickler, secretary-treasurer; Mrs. Bertha Hill, superintendent Children's Division; Rev. J. J. Cokely and Miss Florence Jordan, superintendents of Young Peoples Division; Mrs. Myrtle Northup, superintendent Adult and Home Division; G. L. Owens, superintendent of Administration Division.

MISSOURI SUNDAY SCHOOL WORKER RESIGNS

Mexico, Mo., April 28—Sterling I. Williams, superintendent of the Young People's Work of the Missouri State Sunday School Association, announced Thursday night at the adult leadership institute that he had resigned from the State organization and would study at Boston and Harvard universities. His resignation will take effect next September.

Mrs. Cline Improving

Mrs. B. F. Cline, who is ill of influenza at St. Francis Hospital, was improved today. She underwent an operation at the hospital on April 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Horn of Elmo are the parents of a son, born yesterday.

PATRICK IS AGAIN ASSOCIATION HEAD

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jects during the semester in which the pupils participate in association contests.

To amend section 2 page 12 by substituting the word 'shall' for the word 'may' in line 11 of said section.

Representatives of the contesting teams may mutually agree upon one or three judges. The following plan for choosing judges is suggested. The visiting team shall submit a list of six names and the entertaining team a list of three. These names are to be arranged in order of preference and the senders in each case notified of the arrangement. The first named judge on the list of three and the first two on the list of six are to be invited. In case any judge cannot serve the next named on the list shall be invited.

No one may serve as judge on a debate who is connected in any way with an debator or who is a resident of either school district or who is a patron of either school.

Basketball

Outdoor basketball.

The Board of Control shall appoint on or before the second Saturday in September a basket ball manager for each country.

It shall be the duty of the manager to call a meeting of the representatives of the schools of the county not later than the last Saturday in September to arrange a schedule of games in outdoor basketball for both boys and girls. He shall arrange for a county tournament to be held at a convenient place in the county not later than the third week in November.

He shall certify to the Corresponding Secretary the championship boys team and the championship girls team in outdoor basketball.

Any school that is a member of the association is eligible to compete in the county tournament for fall basketball. Provided that a school that plays football shall not enter a boys team in the fall basketball county tournament.

The championship teams in each county are eligible to compete in outdoor basketball tournament to be held at the State Teachers College.

Indoor Basketball.

All schools in good standing in the Association are eligible to compete in the Annual indoor tournament held near the close of the regular basketball season.

Plan Non-Stop Flight From Coast to Coast

Washington, April 28.—Lieuts. Oakley G. Kelly and John H. MacReady of the arm air service, American record "busters," within the next week will plan another record-breaking trip by negotiating a non-stop coast to coast flight, it was learned here today.

Details of the contemplated trip include leaving Mitchell Field at New York and traveling by air to San Diego, California, a distance of 2,700 miles, necessitating an endurance of about thirty-two hours in the air.

Mrs. Colbert to Lincoln.

Mrs. G. H. Colbert left this morning for Lincoln, Neb., where she will visit her son, Philip Colbert, until Tuesday.

Young Man Held for Forging a Check

A young man about twenty-five years old and giving his name as Wade Smith was arrested last evening by City Marshal George Hise on a charge of forging a check and was turned over to the county authorities. Smith cashed a check for $5 at the Turner restaurant. The check was drawn on the First National Bank of this city and had the signature of Wade Smith.

Shortly after the check had been cashed, Frank Turner, proprietor of the restaurant, became suspicious and called up the First National Bank to find out of the check was good. When notified no such party as Wade Smith had money there, Turner took the matter up with City Marshal Hise and Smith was caught northeast of Maryville on his way to Iowa.

Smith who was traveling in a Ford car claimed he was working for a farmer by the name of Earl Hicks, living ten miles northeast of Maryville. He told the officers he had purchased his car for $75 from two men between the towns of Mexico and California, Mo. Smith later admitted he was out of money and gasoline and had to have the money.

1 Killed, Many are Injured in N. Y. Fire

New York, April 28—One person was killed, several others believed to be dying and two seriously injured in a fire early today that destroyed a three story apartment house in Brooklyn. Harvey Orr, 56, who jumped from a third story window, was instantly killed. His daughter, Pauline, 25, is dying as a result of burns. Firemen made many thrilling rescues during the fire. The fire started in a Chinese laundry on the ground floor. Property damage loss is estimated at $100,000.

Wagons to Haul Rubbish Monday

Mayor W. O. Garrett announced this morning that the postponed clean-up day had been set for Monday. If the weather permits then city wagons will carry off the rubbish and refuse of citizens providing it is placed in receptacles upon the parkway for the draymen. Mr. Garrett said the refuse must be in shape to be easily handled by one man. He also stated that all receptacles containing rubbish will be carried off unless the owner is on hand to ask that it be left when the drayman arrives.

Dr. Curl at M. E. Church, South

Dr. O. L. Curl will occupy the pulpit of the M. E. Church, South, tomorrow at both the morning and evening services. The preaching services begin at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.

Special B. Y. P. U. Program Sunday

Will Be Held Tomorrow Evening at the Regular Church Hour—Dorothy England to Preside.

The regular Sunday evening program at the First Baptist Church will be dispensed with tomorrow and a special program by the B. Y. P. U. will be given. It will be a model B. Y. P. U. program. Miss Dorothy England, president, will preside and Miss Mabel Raines will lead the meeting. Those to take part in the program are: Misses Helen Tebow, Irene Lowry, Viva Cloud, Mary Coe and Homer Ogden, James Shearer and Leroy Jones. Evelyn Raines will give a reading, Miss Alyce Allen will give a vocal solo and Miss Hattie Mae Woodward will play a piano solo. The Sunday School orchestra will also play. There will be no B. Y. P. U. services at 7 o'clock.

During the Sunday School hour the Rev. J. A. Cooper, pastor, will continue his discussion with the Men's Bible Class upon 'How We Got the Bible.'' The hundred per cent attendance contest in the Sunday School will close tomorrow. Despite the reduced attendance last Sunday on account of the bad weather, there are still a large number eligible for a perfect record if they are present tomorrow.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

PHONE NO. HANAM) 602, FARMERS 111.

TONIGHT—Alice Calhoun in "THE GIRL IN HIS ROOM." Also Jack Mulhall and Louise Lorraine in "THE CHANNEL RAIDERS." Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Monday, April 30, one day only—

Franklyn Farnum, Shorty Hamilton and Al Hart in "Crossroads"

A five reel western filled with thrills and laughs. Also Eddie Boulden in "BIG BUSINESS." Matinee at 3:00—10c and 22c. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00—10c and 22c.

Tuesday, May 1, one day only—

Ethel Clayton and Warner Baxter in "If I Were Queen"

Romance, adventure, intrigue, sword play—all staged amid the regal splendors of old world courts and castles. Matinee at 3:00. Night shows at 7:30 and 9:00.

Clean Up Day Monday

IF WEATHER PERMITS.

Have your rubbish in sacks, barrels or boxes on the park-way ready for Monday morning. Teamsters wishing to work that day call City Hall or be at fire station ready to go at 8 o'clock Monday morning.

W. O. GARRETT, Mayor.

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